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DISTRICT COURT

W. C. Dowdy, Judge.
Dwight Whitwell, District Attorney.
Mrs. O. L. Barker, District Clerk.
Mrs. Clara Travillian, Assistant
Mrs. Justine B. Abernathy, Court Reporter.

NEW SUITS

James J. Malaby vs. Theresa Gappas Malaby, divorce.
John Brodhead et al vs. William R. Bearden, judgment for plaintiff.
Lillie Carver Henslee et al vs. Grace Carver Antoine et vir, partition suit.
Annie Mills et vir vs. Cecil Edwards et al, judgement by default.
Montie C. Morrow et ux vs. Mrs. Jack Smith et al, dsmissed with prejudice.

COUNTY COURT

W. E. Button, Judge.
W. C. Hagy, County Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Billie John Douglas and Dorothy Gail Nixon.
Leroy Zachary and Martha Nell Hooper.
Joe Jarrell and Joyce Jenkins.

CASES DISPOSED OF

Frank Johnson, charged with transporting liquor. Fined $150.00 and costs totaling $179.55.
Raymond Honea, charged with possession of liquor for sale. Fined $250.00 and costs totaling $282.85.
Herman Edward Nance, charged with driving while intoxicated. Fined $50.00 and costs totaling $79.45 and sentenced to three days in jail.
Marvin Eautt, charged with driving while intoxicated. Fined $50.00 and costs totaling $82.45 and sentenced to three days in jail.
George Brown, charged with possession of liquor for sale. Fined $100.00 and costs totaling $129.00.
E. K. Rogers, charged with swindling by check. Fined $10.00 and costs totaling $40.75.

City Election At Celina Set For April 3

A mayor and four councilmen are to be chosen in a city election scheduled for Celina on April 3 on the first Tuesday in the month.

Three councilmen and a mayor are to be elected for regular two-year terms, to fill places expiring this year. The other councilman's place is that of C. G. McKnight whose resignation was accepted in a meeting Monday, called by Mayor G. V. Brady to order the election.

The mayor, and two of the councilmen whose terms expire this year have definitely said they would not be candidates for re-election. Mayor G. V. Bray, who has served since 1952, and Councilmen Carl Perry and Henry Rodgers said unequivocally that they would not run again, while Councilman J. D. Manes said Tuesday he had not made up his mind whether to stand for reelection. Councilman Lee B. Newsome's term has one more year to run.

Hugh B. Peterman was named election judge, and Lee Robinson and M. A. Hufstedler, clerks. Candidates must file applications for places on the ballot not later than midnight, Saturday, March 3. Absentee balloting may begin 20 days before the election, and must terminate three days prior to election day.

Robinson Drug Store At Prosper Is Burglarized

Deputies Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey of the Sheriff's Department, spent Wednesday in Prosper investigating the burglary at the Ott Robinson Drug store. The burglary occurred sometime during the night before 4:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Fifteen cartons of assorted cigarets, valued at $33.75; several clocks of various makes and $1 from the cash register, were among the items reported stolen. No arrests have been made.

Miss Violet Joyce Crouch left Monday for Venezuela, South American to visit her sister, Mrs. Bill Hall and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hall are rejoicing over a new son, born to them February 25. They also have a little daughter, Mrs. Hall is the former Miss Betty Crouch of McKinney.

School Week Activities Planned By Celina Schools

The fifth and sixth grades of Celina elementary school under the direction of C. H. Adams and Mrs. R. J. Shook, are to present an assembly program Monday, March 5.

The sixth grade is making posters in art for Public School Week. Some of these posters include drawings of many types of birds, people of foreign countries, and various kinds of flowers. These posters are very original and decorative.

The fifth grade is planning a program to be presented March 9, at 1:00 p. m.

The fourth grade is making booklets in "This Is My Life" in health class. Carl Heogerl, who has had his arm in a cast since the first snow, had the cast removed this week.

The third grade pupils are working on their unit on homes. They have been studying various types of homes. Some include forest homes, Eskimo homes, desert homes, cave homes, mountain homes, and river homes. They are making small models of each, and have been reading new library books and making shadow box scenes. They hope to display some of these on Public School Week, March 5-9.

New Members Join Ground Observer Corps

The Ground Observer Corps met Wednesday night at the Fire Station at which time the following new members were "signed up."

Thomas White.
Richard Dungan.
JA Comegys.
J. B. Martin.
J. B. Taylor.
Neddie White.
Bobby Crosswhite.
J. D. Duncan.
Deltiner.
Bobby Larson.
J. F. Gaulden.
Pat Davis.
Doyle Harris.
Ramsey Harris Jr.
Bill Sensabaugh.
Donald Boren.
David Wilson.
Dickie Rogers.
Frank Pose.
John Hensley.
Coy Davis.
Wallace Scalf.
Vinson Shields, Asst. Chief Observer.
Grady Dunn, Asst. Chief Observer.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, March 8. Everyone man, woman, boy or girl, interested, is invited to attend.

There will be an alert on March 18, called as a test.

—Clayton Tompkins, assistant chief observer and secretary.

Directors And Officers Elected By Merchants

New directors for the year were elected by the members of the Retail Merchants Association at the annual meeting in the offices of the asosciation last week. The directors are: Mrs. Inez Wilson of Wilson Shoe Store; Era (Tip) McCarley of the P & M Furniture Store; Boyd Williams of the Texas Power & Light Co.; Geldon Roberts of the Roberts Insurance Agency; Sam Smith of Sam Smith Investments; Clifford Byrd of Foxworth-Galbrath Lumber Co.; W. Phil Wolford of The Man's Store; Tommy Benningfield of Sherwin-Williams Paint Store and Walter Massie of the Walter Massie Grocery.

The directors elected officers as follows:

W. Phil Wolford, President.
Tommy Benningfield, Vice-President.
M. A. Jones, business manager of the Association.

The annual report reflected the fact that business in McKinney last year was on a continuing upward climb and it is felt that the close co-operation existing between the merchants will push higher gains in volume and net for this year.

Mrs. Cleve James and Joe Merchant, of Longview, visited the Tom W. Perkins Jr. family Sunday.

Bruce LaFollette, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph LaFollette of Van Alstyne, is confined to his home with illness. His many frineds here wish him a speedy recovery.

Women's Clubs Of County Visit Appliance Stores

In spite of the rainy weather, seventy (70) of the Home Demonstration Club women of Collin County attended the Show on Home Appliances in McKinney, Thursday, February 16. The group was divided into seven different groups with the kitchen leaders in charge of each group. The groups moved each hour to a different location.

Howell's Appliance and Furniture Store was visited where Representatives George Garrison from Philco, Bill Partaine from Whirlpool, and Pete Priestley from Gaffers-Septler Gas Appliances demonstrated the appliances they represented. A door prize of a $24.95 bedspread was won by Mrs. J. F. Hitt of the Weston Club. Another door prize of an electric toaster was won by Mrs. Joe Fisher of the Bloomdale Club.

Monroe's Appliance Store's Home Economist, Mrs. Estelle Echols assisted by Mrs. Mary Bob Closs demonstrated Bendix Laundry equipment, Crosley ranges, freezers, and refrigerators, Motorola T. V.'s. A door prize of a $24.95 set of towels and linens was won by Mrs. Joe Gentles of Celina.

Johnson's Furniture Store had Mr. T. B. McDaniel from Admiral appliances and Mr. Ernie Simonds from Tappens Range who demonstrated the aplliances they were representing.

C. P. Horn's Home Economist, Mrs. Flo Starks, assisted by Mrs. Vena Phillips of TP&L demonstrated the General Electric appliances. Small kitchen equipment was given to each member as they visited in the store.

At Good Housekeeping Shop the group was shown all of Frigidaires and Maytags appliances which were explained by Mr. Smith and his personnel.

In Whites Auto the Manager, Mr. Pat Clark and Mrs. Bob Clark, explained their merchandise and showed it to the women. They handle Wizard appliances. A box of Tide was given to each member.

At the Lone Star Gas Co., Mr. R. E. Neal, Manager and Mrs. Betty Korioth, Home Economist, showed and demonstrated the Universal Gas Ranges, Servel Gas Automatic Ice-Maker Refrigerators, Roper Gas Clothes Dryers, and Rudd Gas Water Heaters.

The home demonstration club women of Collin County and the merchants of McKinney were very pleased with the days events which were very informative. The women stated that they had seen equipment they did not know was on the market and it was a great pleasure to have an opportunity to see and compare all the equipment available.

White's Included In Appliance Tour Of Women's Clubs

An error was made in writing up the Appliance Tour which the Home Demonstration Women of Collin County made on February 16, 1956. We wish to correct this.

Whites Auto Store was among the stores visited on the tour. Jessie Jay, the manager, explained the following equipment to the women: Leonard Refrigerators, ABC Washers, Leonard Electric Ranges, Catalina Gas Ranges, Detroit Jewel Gas Ranges, Gaffers-Sattler Gas Ranges and Revco Freezers. Each woman was given a box of Tide as a courtesy of the store.

County Officers Make Arrests For Drunkenness

Sixteen persons were in the Collin County jail Friday morning, according to a report from the Sheriff's office.

The major activity of the deputies was routine, with two arrests for drunkenness, one of which was DWI. Deputies Standerfer and Ramsey made one of the arrests at Celina and Day and Hundley picked up the man who was driving while intoxicated. They also investigated a wreck near Farmersville, in which only one car was involved.

Jerry Burks of Farmersville was brought to the City-County Hospital here Monday night suffering from a head injury sustained in an automobile accident.

CC COMMITTEES ARE NAMED AT MEETING

President A. H. Witherspoon of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce, met with his Board of Directors in a call meeting here Tuesday afternoon to approve the 1956 budget and announce committees for the coming year. The next fiscal year of the organization is March 1.

Agriculture
Joe Snapp, Chm.
Bill C. Christi
Walter Massie
E. A. Randles
Virgil Dahlberg
Lewis Fry
Urna Watson
Audie Turrentine
H. O. Green
Mrs. Vena Phillips
Killis Melton
Wallace Horn

Civic
Paul Hardin, Chm.
Paul Young
Kenneth Eubanks
E. L. Kissinger
Jim Caldwell
Mrs. Julia Walters
W. B. Finney
John Gay

Hospital
C. Hansford Ray, Chm.
J. W. Neal
Elton Riggs
R. F. Newsome
Gibson Caldwell
Roland Boyd
J. C. Andrews
Tom W. Perkins

Collin County Fair
Audie Turrentine, Pres.

Executive
A. H. Witherspoon
A. H. Eubanks
Audie Turrentine
W. T. Dungan
Paul Hardin
J. M. Whisenant
Fred McKinney

Industrial
J. M. Whisenant, Chm.
Boyd Williams
A. H. Eubanks
C. Hansford Ray
A. M. Scott, Jr.
Raymond E. Neal
Geldon Roberts
George Webb

Public Relations
J. C. Andrews, Chm.
Tom W. Perkins
Wofford Thompson
H. D. Mouzon
Mrs. Frances Stogdill
Mrs. Lela Massie
Ed Veigel

Trade Development
Laud Howell, Co-Chm.
J. E. Ferguson, Co-Chm.
Mrs. Inez Wilson
Miss Fletcher Anderson
Wylie Dugger
Royal Stephenson
Mrs. I. P. Carr
Wilbur Thompson
Ed Tatum

Membership—Finance
A. H. Eubanks, Chm.
Jack Valentine
C. P. Horn
Raul Saba
W. B. Hope
Hailds Pearce
Leroy Richardson
Carl Cox
Mrs. Alice Talkington
Dr. Chas. B. McKissick
Gibson Caldwell
W. B. Finney

Soil & Water Conservation
W. T. Dungan, Chm.
Roland Boyd
Ray Roberts
Wilkins Comegys
F. D. Perkins
Dwayne Howell

Transportation
Chas. A. Angel, Chm.
J. M. Whisenant
Gibson Caldwell
Paul Hardin
Houston Thomas

Special Events
Fred McKinney, Chm.
Ramsey Harris
Raul Saba
Mrs. Naomii Morris
Mrs. Eula M. White
Geldon Roberts

Chief Nitcholas Reports "Too Many Wrecks"

Chief Otho Nitcholas reports one arrest by the City Police force Thursday night.

A number of wrecks have occurred in the county within the past few weeks, especially in McKinney, where two or three a day have happened. Chief Nitcholas reports that fortunately very few persons have been injured in this mishaps, but the property damage has amounted to hundreds of dollars.

He reminds motorists within the city limits, that his officers are alerted to give tickets for traffic violations and urges all drivers to observe the street lights and signals. He further asks cooperation of the citizenry in driving at a safe speed, especially at street intersections, in the public schools areas, and business districts. Many times wrecks are unavoidable, but in a large percent of the cases, carelessness, or failure to observe the traffic rules, are the cause.

The Chief reports that the motorists here have always been cooperative when called upon and he urges their help to reduce the number of accidents in the city.

New Sewing Machines Given To High School

Two of the latest models in Good Housekeeping machines, are in use by the Homemaking Department of Boyd High School. These two machine heads are furnished through the courtesy of the Ball Sewing Machine Distributors of which H. L. Ball is proprietor. For the past three or four years Mr. Ball has furnished two of his models to the department and just recently exchanged the older models for two of the newest types. They have several new features such as top-drop feed, embroidery adapter, are streamlined in design and in attractive pastel colors.

The Ball Sewing Machine Distributors, one of the largest business of the kind in this section of the country, covers an area of seven states. The McKinney firm operates as a wholesale firm supplying dealers throughout the area. The office here is located at 1005 North Tennessee Street. There are also warehouses in Houston and Lafayette, La.

Mr. Ball states that the Good Housekeeping Machine is gaining in popularity at all times and he is kept busy supplying the demand for the models as they appear on the market.

Chamber Of Com. Budget For '56 Approved

A. H. Witherspoon, President of the Chamber of Commerce for 1956, has held first meeting with the Board of Directors to approve committee appointments and budget for the year.

With the new power plant of the Texas Power and Light Company already completed just West of McKinney, and new water supply from Lavon Dam, the Super-Expressway assured . . . McKinney stands on the threshhold of a new era of opportunities.

With the interests of our community in mind, President Witherspoon and the Board have outlines of programs to make the most of every opportunity that may come our way.

No One Hurt In Wreck East Of McKinney

A Wylie man was arrested on a warent of swindling by check by Deputies Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey, on Monday afternoon. He was placed in the County Jail.

The deputies also investigated a wreck three and a half miles East of McKinney on Highway 24 in which $450 damage was reported done to a car and pick-up truck. The drivers were Betty Campbell of McKinney and Homer Tarvin, Route 3 McKinney. No one was hurt in the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Settle, of Richardson, but formerly of this city, visited here recently.

Mrs. J. W. Little, of Frisco, who underwent surgery in the City-County Hospital, has been removed to her home.

Chairmen Named For School Week Activities Here

A group of interested citizens under the leadership of Ernest Lawrence, met at Johnny's Cafe and set up committees to plan Public School week in McKinney for March 5-10. Mr. Lawrence is general chairman and other committees to work with the Schools and committees to work with the schools and community in arranging and carrying out the program are:

Pat Simpson, publicity.

Dennis Scott and the Kiwanis Club finance.

Worley Smith and Pete Murphy, window displays.

Audie Turrentine and Leroy Richardson, parade.

Fred McKinney and Johnny Whisenant, refreshments.

Earl Slaughter principal of the High School was present and explained plans of the schools which includes an open house and visitation to grade schools on Tuesday March 6 and high schools on Friday night March 10 for visitation and programs. Rev. T. W. Gholson president of the Ministers Association was present and gave the invocation and joined in the discussion of plans for the community.

The theme of this year's school observance in "Texas Public Schools — Democrat in Action."

"Our forefathers in their wisdom recognizing the importance of education in the function and operation of a democracy, established the public school to make education available to all. The people of Texas declared, by the expressed terms of State Constitution, 'a general diffusion of knowledge be essential to the preservation of the liberties and rights of the people, it shall be the duty of the Legislature of the State to establish and made suitable provision for the support and maintenance of an efficient system of public free schools.' The 1854 School Law provided for the first Public School System in Texas. As the years passed our laws were strengthened to make sure that all children of a school age shared in this opportunity for public education. Today the importance of education is not a debatable subject. Our job is to see that children of this generation get the best possible education we can give them. By visiting the schools and familiarizing ourselves with the problems of teachers and students, we become more competent to safeguard and advance the institution that is so American — the public school."

Some of the programs of the various schools will be announced by Supt. Hailds Pearce at a later date.

County Officers Are Kept Busy Over Week End

Deputies Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey arrested a local Negro Saturday afternoon, filing charges of possessing intoxicating liquors for purpose of sale, against him for having in his posession 71 quarts of wine. At 11 a.m. Saturday they arrested a man at Westminster for aggraved assault with a motor vehicle and at 11:40 a.m. Sunday investigated the theft of three wheels and tires and a battery, which were stripped from a car as Melissa. The car was owned by Roland and Jessie Lee Thomas.

A colored man was arrested Saturday night for drunkenness and placed in jail by Deputies Day and Hundley. The deputies also assisted officers from Plano and Highway patrolmen in breaking up a "drag race" on Highways 121 and 289, near Shepton. Several cars were involved and charges were reported filed by Plano officers.

Dallas Man Wins Car In Safeway Free Drawing Saturday

A. R. Lackey, 406 South Bishop Street, Dallas, was winner of the 1956 model 88 Oldsmobile given away by Safeway Stores in Dallas County and McKinney, following three weeks registration.

The automobile was the grand prize given by Safeway Stores, and culminated the grand opening festivities of three new Safeway stores, one of which is the super market in McKinney. Royal A. Stephenson, manager of the local store, announced the winner for the benefit of persons in this trade territory, who had been registrants for the free prize.

Foote Baptist Church Members Complete Bible Study Course

The Foote Baptist Chure closed a study course Friday night on "What We Believe About the Bible." The following members enjoyed the course which was taught by Rev. O. L. Watson of McKinney: Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Griggs, of Plano; Vernon Lusk of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walden, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Chesney, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Carrell, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Lee Branch, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. LaFollett, Mrs. Jessie Carrell, Mrs. Joe Crutcher, Mrs. Charles Ford, Mrs. L. A. Ballard, Mrs. Marie Starnes, Sandra Carrell, Jeanette Carrell, Johnny Rutledge, Theresa Walden, George Duncan, Gaylen Wilson, W. A. Carrell, J. A. Carrell.

W. E. Roberts, Ralph Roberts, Jackie Jordon, Jane Crutcher, Lerena Locke, Shirley Chesney, Grady Bowen Jr., Dianne Crutcher, Charlotte Crutcher, Florence Crowder, Tonye Fay Carrell, Dot Kay Carrell, Tressa Lee Branch.

Present Day Phone System Told Lions Club

"Super-highways for Your Voice" was a most interesting and fascinating subject for discussion at the Lions Club weekly luncheon Wednesday, Glenn E. Scott, demonstration engineer of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, was the guest speaker for the enjoyable program.

The club met at the First Christian Church, opened with spirited singing of Lions songs after which Lion H. C. Hoy gave the invocation. The ladies of the church served a delightful steak luncheon.

Other guests for the day were Joseph W. Reddick of Chinandega, Nicaragua and W. L. Jacobs, guests of Lion Herman White; Scout Executive Byron Woolsey, of Denison, guests of Lion C. D. Taylor; R. L. Stannard, of Sherman, guest of Lion Bob Clark; Reece Henry and Homer Adams, both of Plano, guests of Lion Chas. McKissick.

Lion Joe Simpson, MHS football coach, announced Spring training underway.

Lion Pat Simpson, acting president for the day in the absence of Lion J. M. Whisenant presided over the meeting and Zone Chairman Jack Pratt announced that McKinney was one of the top 10 clubs out of 171, in the recent membership drive.

Lions C. E. Winniford and Tommy White were the program committee for the day, the former presenting Lion Don Bell, of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, who in turn presented the guest speaker.

Mr. Scott, mixing bits of humor with actual facts, using lighted maps, and charts to illustrate factual points in his talk. He told the story of how telephone operators in 71 Texas cities now dial long distance calls much as they do local calls, beginning his talk with a comparison of the number of operators formerly used in transmitting a call, to the present day "streamlined" system. He explained the new numbering system which will go into effect a few months hence.

After demonstrations with a portable dial telephone, he told of how long distance dialing by telephone customers was introduced at Harlingen, Texas last year. Within the next five years customers in many other Texas cities will be dialing New York, San Francisco and their own long distance calls to hundreds of other places from coast to coast.

With audience participation, Scott showed the Lions how direct distance dialing and other new telephone inventions will be put to use to improve the voice super highways which link the nation's communication system together.

The club adjourned to meet Wednesday at the First Methodist Church with Lions Wade Underwood and Ira Anderson as program chairmen. The March 7 program will be arranged by Lions Dean Bennett and Robert Bryan.

Scotty Wysong, who is a student in State University, at Austin, visited his father, Dr. Scott Wysong, and other relatives here over the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bryan and sons, of Garland, and Robert Bales, of McKinney, visited Paul Bryan, Misses Eva and Mary Bryan, at Lebanon.

Jaycees Ask New Charter For McKinney

The Junior Chamber of Commerce, at the Tuesday noon luncheon-meeting, held at the Town House, passed resolutions in support of a new city charter for McKinney.

Their resolutions call for a charter commission appointed by the City Commission, to rewrite the present charter.

Backing up their efforts in behalf of the charter, a committee from the Jaycees met with the City Commission Wednesday afternoon at the City Hall, at their regular weekly session.

The resolutions, as drawn up by the Jaycees, follows:

Whereas the Board of Directors of the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce are convened on this the 27th day of February, 1956, at a regularly scheduled meeting, and

Whereas the Board of Directors of the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce deem a new City Charter an urgent need for a progressive City of McKinney.

Be It Hereby Resolved that this Board of Directors go on record as supporters of a new city charter and that the City Commission of the City of McKinney be requested to take appropriate action to elect a charter commission to write a new charter for the City of McKinney; that this resolution be presented to the City Commission of the City of McKinney at a regular meeting, and that a copy of this resolution be presented to the McKinney Chamber of Commerce in order that such body may take appropriate action thereon.

Passed and approved this 27th day of February, 1956.

PETE MURPHY
President, McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce
HOUSTON THOMAS
Secretary

County Officers Make Arrest For Transporting

A Bonham man was arrested two miles North of Plano, on Highway 75, at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday by Deputies Day and Hundley of the Sheriff's Department. He was reported to have in his possession, 48 tour-fifth of wine; 8 half-pints of whiskey; 26 half-pints of gin and 6 cans of beer.

Charges of transporting were to be filed against him here Thursday.

On Tuesday night at 8:45 o'clock Deputies Day and Hundley picked up a man at the intersection of Highway 121 and 289, charging him with drunkenness. They also filed DWI charges against a Dallas man whom they arrested four miles North of Allen on Highway 75.

Deputies Brooks and Hatfield arrested a man for drunkenness Tuesday night at Copeville, placing him in the county jail. They also investigated an accident three miles North of McKinney on Highway 75 in which Eugene Chilton of Blue Ridge received minor injuries. F. E. McIntire of Frisco was driver of the other car, a total damage of $600 being estimated to the two vehicles.

U. S. Savings Bonds In Collin Reach $49,450

Tom W. Perkins U. S. Saving Bonds Chairman for Collin County announced today that Saving Bonds sales in Collin amounted to $49,450 during January. This is 6.3 percent of our 1956 quota. Mr. Perkins stated, "We are especially pleased with this sales report," he said. "Savings Bonds are the backbone of individual savings and this is proof that more and more people are turning to this type of investment."

Mr. Perkins pointed out that Savings Bonds are the only investment available in the nation today on which both the principal and interest are fully guaranteed by the United States Treasury.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morrow of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Addington and Billy Woolly, of Climax.

Von Roy Dunn, of Commerce, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunn and children, of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunn, at Altoga.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Mr. Bonner of Three Rivers has moved into the Mrs. Norman Donerson residence on Virginia street. The mother was formerly Miss Cottie Johnson.

Mrs. N. E. Bailey and children have returned to Sherman, Oregon. The T. & W. Grand Silver Girls basketball team at this city defeated the Chamberville girls basketball team at Chamberville Tuesday night. The lineup for the Dorris Community basketball team included Straup, Lynn, Dorris, Dunham, Hall and Wilson. For Chamberville — Rodgers, Hunt, Robertson, Hunt, Bolin and Putnam. The Silvers girls won 31 to 19.

Mrs. W. C. Ball is attending the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs convention at the Baker hotel in Dallas this week. Mrs. Ball is the president of the McKinney Art Culture Study club and is attending the annual session as a delegate from that club.

Miss Ellie Tippin is leader for the Fellowship Circle Program at the First Christian Church Sunday evening.

Several women from over the county attended the reception at the First Christian Church Saturday afternoon honoring Miss Helen Dunlap, who is the new Home Demonstration Agent. Miss Dunlap replaces Mrs. J. Ed. McGee, who recently served the county before her voluntary resignation recently. The members of the McKinney 4-H Club served refreshments. Those were Misses Ida Mae Patterson, Frances Gibson, Marion Gibbs, Gladys Berry and Dorothy Lugo. A musical program was presented by Mrs. Strother, John Edwards, Morgan, Kathryn Osborn, Mrs. J. F. Smith, Mrs. Goldman Perry, Mildred Strother, Billie Tom Strother, Glenda Perry.

A social hour at the auditorium of the East Baptist Church heard the choir from Texas State College for Women of Denton here Sunday night. Miss Margaret Hughston of this city is accompanist for the group.

Miss Connie Sellers, who is employed in Dallas, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jenkins and daughter, Irene, of the McDonald community visited in McKinney Saturday.

The J. H. Hill (Central) Ward P-TA will have a silver tea Wednesday afternoon. The invitation committee is composed of Mrs. H. H. Nelson, Mrs. Joe Connor, Mrs. George Cameron, Mrs. Alfred Mc-Cuistion, Mrs. Tom Scott, Mrs. Jim Cuistion, Mrs. Ed Browne, Mrs. Herbert Kerr, Mrs. Chas. Cooper, Mrs. Edgar Braswell, Mrs. S. Lucas, Mrs. Jeff Smith and Mrs. W. H. Long. The refreshment committee is headed by Mrs. Isaac Crouch and Mrs. John Sears is chairman of the cards and miscellaneous committee.

A 25-pound turkey has been reported stolen from the Milt Turner farm, Southwest of McKinney. Some two years ago a fine Jersey milch cow was stolen from the Turner farm.

The citizens of Blue Ridge have recently raised funds to have their public square graveled. Monies from public entertainment was used to purchase the materials, and the citizens did the work of spreading the gravel.

Miss Gertrude Arnold, of Anna, was a business visitor in McKinney Friday. Miss Arnold is president of the County Home Demonstration Club Association.

Mrs. W. T. Bryan of the Bethany community was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Purcell, manager of The Vogue ladies ready-to-wear and millinery shop, was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

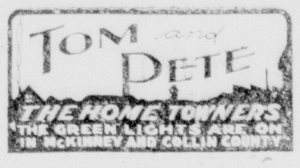
The members of the Low 11th Class of Boyd High School will have a Colonial Tea Saturday in the Martin Moses building on the north side of the square. Cake, pies, sandwiches, coffee and other good things to eat will be served. Officers of the class are Liston Anderson, president; Woodrow Davis, vice president and Miss Mary Ann Gay, secretary-treasurer.

The Chamber of Commerce Directors will meet Tuesday night. A "Dutch" supper will be served preceding the business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Montgomery entertained the couples' bridge club with a Mexican dinner. The prizes for high score went to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown while table cuts went to Mrs. Carl McDonald, Mrs. Phil Wolford and Ed Ballem.

Showing at the Ritz today Marie Dressler and Wallace Berry in "Min and Bill." Tomorrow will feature Harold Lloyd's new comedy, "Feet First."

Mr. and Mrs. Will Velte have purchase the stock and fixtures of Costen's bakery and will continue the business, offering wholesale and retail bread, pastries and cakes.



YOUR HOME Towners would like to congratulate the folks at Plano. It was recently announced that a new $250,000.00 industry was secured for that fast stepping, growing and progressive Collin County town. Keep the good work up Plano citizens—you have certainly turned on the Green Lights.

McKINNEY COULD and can take care of small conventions and gatherings. All you gotta do is to invite a few of them to come our way and the law of average is that someone will take you up. People go where they are invited and stay where they are well kept.

NEWSPAPERS AT opposite ends of Texas urged that Governor Shivers not seek re-election. The Amarillo News in an editorial said, "Don't Do It Again." You not only will lose but we are afraid you will lose "ingloriously." A lot of people would think that the Governor would lose "gloriously."

A RECENT charge by the Laredo, Texas Editor that things are a little on the shady side in Ft. Worth. He stated that he had received an "anonymous" letter that vice was going on in "Cow Town." Now the way Your Home Towners feel is that an editor had better "smell around in his own home town" and try to do a little cleaning up there first.

ROY FRUEHAUF came down from Detroit Feb. 2 to add additional glow to Southern faces. He started out talking about a 100,000 square foot truck - trailer manufacturing plant to be erected in Atlanta and then, under questioning by editors of a publication (revealed that a plant twice that big befitting the state) would be constructed at Cleburne, Texas. The 47-year-old bustling president of Fruehauf Trailer Co. said the South and Southwest "are the hottest areas in the country today, from what our figures have shown us." Both plants should be operating before 1956 dies, he said. Certainly would have been wonderful if Mr. "Roy" had selected Big McK.

UNUSUAL . . . .

Seen About Town

By CAPT. ROY F. HALL

Those who happened to be up so late as a half-hour after midnight Saturday morning saw the worst dust storm that ever hit this section. It was over in a short time, but while it lasted it was intense. I went out, when the wind hit, to have a look, and was almost smothered. The only street light I could see was one fifty feet from my house, and could see it only dimly. A few minutes after the cool front struck us a few drops of rain fell. Despite the fact that the temperature had dropped sharply with the front, the drops of rain were so hot that they were almost painful. And, funny too, these rain drops slanted in from the South while the wind was blowing sharply from the Northwest. Wish I knew something about our Texas weather.

I believe, from casual observation, that McKinney has reached a population figure that she has never reached before. I mean in dogs. Did you ever see so many. I see them in droves all over town. Now, most kids like to have a pooch, little girls to love, and young boys to have at least something which he can dominate and boss, but all such, I firmly believe, should be kept in the yard and not allowed to run wild on our streets.

This writer sampled the finest chocolate angel-food cake the other day that ever was made—at least as good as any. Happened in at Johnson's Furniture and Pat Phillips was treating the force to a cake she had baked. If you have ever eaten any of the cotton candy sold at circus and at carnivals you will get what I mean. It actually melted right down in your mouth. Does that candy and no fooling. Didn't ask Pat about the recipe, knowing that one such as that should be kept a family secret.

If you find your radio, and in a few cases, your TV acting up these days you may lay it to the sun. Old Sol has spots on his face. If you look at him through a smoked glass or a fogged camera film you can easily see one of them. Science does not know what causes the sun spots. They occur about every eleven years, on an average, and cause disturbances all over the world in radio, telegraph and other electrical communication systems. The spot you can see on the sun now is far larger than the earth, and whether it is an actual hole in the sun or a dark spot is not known. This series of sun spots is due to last several years.

For the benefit of those ladies who took their children to the West Ward School during the last cold spell, I wish to hasten to assure them there is no wild Indian loose in this section. That was me. I was late in taking my kids to school and couldn't find my hat in the rush, and picked up one of the children's cowboy-Indian hats with a lot of feathers sticking up. From the looks of astonishment and bewilderment I got it is best, I think, to explain.

So many prize contests and puzzles running in papers and magazines these days that if a fellow entered all of them he would have no time at all to devote to anything else. I am not convinced that these are good for the business of those sponsoring them. Only a very, very few can win, and those failing to win almost always hold resentment. In any event, I believe they are about to be run in the ground, so to speak, and will eventually play out. To me, they represent the approach of danger. If a business cannot stand on its own legs, it will fail in the end, prizes or no prizes, and these contests are put on for one purpose only—to promote a business which may be sagging.

Boys around town have a lot of fun with their hot rods. Too bad we can't find them a drag-race course. That up-and-coming bunch, the Lyceers, could manage this if the rest of us would assist them. People, I am no crusader, no preacher, but we are not doing enough for our teenagers. Most orderly kids in the state, and we sort of let them drift.

Man from Waco called on me last week. He was hunting a violin. Yes, sir, a fiddle. He said he had it on good authority that there is a fine violin in this county, that is worth upward of $25,000.00. He gave me the dope on it. Said it is of a brownish color with a back of one solid piece, and sounds like "The Angels Serenade" when the bow is pulled across the strings. He said look through the cleft holes and see if the name, Antonio Stradivari is burned in the side on the inside. He said pay no attention to the piece of paper pasted in the bottom, as all violins have that, but look for the burned name. Here's what interested me; he said he would give me one thousand bucks if I located it for him. Sure could use that thousand, and if anyone brings it in I will give him back a dollar and fifty cents of it.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lorance were their daughter, Mrs. Joe W. Howell and family of Fort Worth, and son, D. L. Lorance and family, at Irving.

George Cantrell Is In Race For Sheriff Of Collin County

GEORGE CANTRELL

To the Voters of Collin County:

I wish to announce my candidacy for Sheriff of Collin County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, this July. I was born in McKinney, Texas, February 6, 1924, my parents being Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cantrell of Valdasta. I attended the McKinney public schools and graduated from Boyd High in 1941.

I have lived in McKinney and Northeast Collin all of my life, the past eight years in Princeton. I married Miss Gwendolen Tatum and to this have been born five children.

My occupation has been dairying and livestock farming. I am a member of the Princeton School Board, City Council, and Lions Club.

As to the spiritual side, I believe in God and am an active member of the Princeton Baptist Church. I believe in the laws of our county and I will, if elected, cooperate with all local and state officials to keep proper law enforcement in our county.

Several good men are also seeking this office and I promise to the people and to them, that I will not do or say anything that will bring discredit to their names. I am seeking this office on my own merits and I also promise the people if elected, I will be honest and fair in the fulfillment of the duties of this office.

Sincerely,
GEORGE CANTRELL
(Pol. Adv.)

Mrs. Todd Largent's Funeral Services Largely Attended

A number of out-of-town relatives and friends were here Tuesday at attend the funeral of Mrs. Todd Largent, who died early Monday in Fort Worth.

The service was held at the First Christian Church at 4 o'clock conducted by Dr. Kenneth Hay, pastor of the Lakeside Christian Church, Dallas, but former pastor here. The body lay in state from 2 to 3 o'clock, during which time soft music was presented by Miss Fennie Strickland, organist, and Mrs. Dudley Wysong, pianist.

Mrs. Largent was a member of this church, and quite active in its various circles prior to her ill health a few years ago.

Interment was made in Pecan Grove Cemetery under the direction of Turrentine-Jackson Funeral home with the following relatives and former neighbors serving as pallbearers: Jake Scott, of Greenville, Jack P. McCullough of Fort Worth, Dr. Morris Minton, Choice McClure, Edgar Bush, Elton Riggs, Wilbur Thompson, Frank W. Smith and Fitzhugh Newsome.

Mrs. Largent is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George James, of McKinney and Mrs. Marvin Overton, of Pampa, two grandsons, and a brother, Seth Maupin, of North Hollywood, Calif., and a sister, Mrs. Mike Yates, of Sherman Oaks Calif.

Among those from out-of-town attending the rites were: Mr. and Mrs. James Mathis, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Heald, Mrs. Pat Callahan, Mrs. William Rhea, Mrs. Tommy Carr, Jack Cardwell, Mrs. Lee Schnachel, Mrs. Nan Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Glazener, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Lake Scott and family, of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCullough, of Fort Worth; Mrs. Bervard Weeks, of Bonham and others.

Prewitt Nursery Opens On Highway 75

John Prewitt is using the classified columns of the Daily Courier-Gazette to announce the opening of his nursery at his home on Highway 75, South. Mr. Prewitt has added a large stock of plants and offers them at attractive prices.

With the Spring planting season at hand, Mr. Prewitt invites everyone interested in shrubs and plants of all kinds to visit his nursery and make their selections.

Mrs. James Long visited in Dallas, Monday.

TO BE MARRIED IN JUNE

MISS MARTHA ANN STRAUGHAN

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Straughan of Route 1, McKinney, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Martha Ann Straughan, to Leon Eugene Blanchard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus B. Blanchard, Sr., of Morrisville, New York.

Miss Straughan, an honor graduate of North Texas State College, Denton, resides at 1051 West 8th.

Mrs. Ida Walsh Of Anna Dies In City-County Hospital

Mrs. Ida Walsh, 71, of Route 1, Anna, died at noon Thursday in the City-County Hospital here. She was born October 6, 1884 in Kentucky, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy. But had lived in Collin County a number of years.

Funeral services were held Friday, February 24 at 2 o'clock in the Anna Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. Kenneth Cantrell, pastor, and Rev. Jimmie Dupree, of the Van Alstyne Church, with burial in the Van Alstyne Cemetery, directed by Turrentine-Jackson Funeral Home.

Her survivors include her husband Pat Walsh, of Anna; four sons, Henry Walsh of Anna, Lee Walsh of Van Alstyne, R. A. Walsh of McKinney and Herbert Walsh of San Angelo; four daughters, Mrs. C. R. Carver, of Fort Worth, Mrs. Wallace Tolbert of Sweden, Mrs. G. E. Austin and Mrs. J. R. Craver, both of Van Alstyne; one sister, Mrs. Nellie Woodall, of Tulsa, Okla.; four brothers, Sid Martin of Anna, Pat Martin of Dayton, Jim Martin of Anna and O. L. Martin of McKinney; a half brother, Roy Majors of McKinney and two half sisters, Miss Virgie Majors and Mrs. Rufus Sanderson, of Whitewright; 30 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

MHS Debate Team To Meet Sherman Team In Practice Session

The McKinney High School debate team will go to Sherman probably this week to have a practice match with the High School debate team there. The debate question to be resolved: the federal government should grant aid for higher education to qualified high school graduates.

The team includes Betty Ruth Frazier, Mary Jane Speer, Bill Boyd, Charles Allen, and Bill Nichols.

They are getting ready for the district tournament to be held in Greenville April 7. J. A. Calhoun debate coach, said he hopes to enter one or two teams there. Winners in the district tournament will be eligible to enter state competition in Austin.

Father Of Mrs. Bernie Burch Passes Away at Ambrose

G. T. Prichard, 81, died Wednesday, February 22, at his home in Ambrose, Texas. His survivors are his wife, Mrs. Betty Prichard, of Ambrose and three daughters, Mrs. D. G. Johnson of Boyer, Mrs. E. E. Webb of Kansas and Mrs. Vernie Burch, of McKinney. Nine children and six great-grandchildren also survive.

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Jesse W. Moreland Passes Away In Chattanooga, Tenn.

Jesse W. Moreland, 65, a former resident of Collin County, died in Chattanooga, Tenn., hospital February 16.

Mr. Moreland was born July 24, 1890 in Fannin County, Texas, to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Moreland. He later lived in Dallas and moved to Chattanooga several years ago.

The funeral was conducted in Cedar Hill Baptist Church, Chattanooga with the Rev. T. B. Crawford and Dr. John Huff officiating. Burial was in a cemetery at Cedar Point, Ga., where his parents are buried.

Surviving are four children, Joe Moreland, Chattanooga; Sam Moreland, Dr. C. N. Avery, Dr. Knox Kerr, Mrs. Dot O. Moss, Land, Celina, and Mrs. Frances Parr, Dallas; a brother, Fred Moreland, of Rossville, Ga., and four sisters, Mrs. Isabell Ezell and Mrs. S. C. Estes, Chattanooga, Mrs. C. B. Floyd, Rossville, Ga., and Mrs. R. G. Martin, Celina.

Judge I. J. Curtsinger Rites Held At San Angelo, Thursday

Funeral services were held Thursday in San Angelo for Judge I. J. Curtsinger, prominent and jurist leader there. He was known in McKinney and Collin County where his parents, formerly lived, his father being a pioneer grocery merchant of McKinney. They resided on Anthony Street where the new Highway 75 now intersects that position of the street. The family moved from here when I. J. was a small boy.

Judge Curtsinger died at his home in San Angelo on Tuesday.

After attending public schools and Texas Normal College at Denton, he entered the University of Texas and received a Bachelor of Literature degree in 1904. He attended law school there two years and passed the state bar examination in 1905. He taught two years at Gonzales High School before moving here in 1907.

Judge Curtsinger served as precinct 1 justice of the peace in 1910-14, as county attorney in 1914-20, and a city attorney in 1925-27. He was a member of the San Angelo School Board one term and had been president of the Tom Green County Bar Association. In 1942-50 he was county judge, and later was corporation court judge. He was a member of the Christian Church and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include his wife; a stepson, Marvin Saunders of Big Springs; and two brothers, Gene Curtsinger and Walter Curtsinger, both of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer of this city recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Spencer, at Climax.

Mrs. Grover Roberds Passes Away At Her Home Tuesday Night

Mrs. Mildred Roberds 37, passed away Tuesday night at her home, 706 Dixon Street. She was born in McKinney, October 20, 1918, the daughter of John S. and Josephine Allred McMurray, and had lived in the city most of her life. She was married September 17, 1939 to Grover F. Roberds. She was a member of the North Baptist Church and the J. L. Greer (North) Ward P-TA.

Her survivors are her husband, Grover Roberds, of McKinney, two daughter, Jo Ann and Patricia Roberds, her mother, Mrs. John McMurray, and a brother, Wilson H. McMurray, all of McKinney.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 4 p.m. at the North Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. George Kemp, pastor, with burial in Pecan Grove Cemetery, directed by the Harris Funeral Home.

Obsequies For Miss Mattie Bale Of Farmersville, Held

Miss Mattie Bale, age 92, died at the hospital Tuesday afternoon after a short illness. She was born May 5, 1863 in Green County, Kentucky and moved to Texas in 1870 with her parents, the late Edward Lewis Bale and Cynthia Carolyn Bale. The family located near Farmersville where Miss Bale resided there until a few years ago, moved to a farm near Celeste.

Miss Bale moved into her present residence in 1885 and lived there until the time of her death. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include a number of nieces and nephews, Mrs. Ola Bale Williams of Menard, a niece, came to be by Miss Hale.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, February 25, in the chapel of the Fielder Baker Funeral Home. Rev. W. T. Lofland officiated in the rites. The pallbearers were: Jess Knight, Warner Knight, Ed Bales, A. W. Bale, Albert Carter, Bonner Hudson, Knighton Hudson, J. T. Herring. The honorary pallbearers were: Oscar Carlisle, Martin Jackson, Marion Greenwood, John Fosters, Charles Rice, Alvin Mize, Henry Roberts, and E. D. Bright.

Mrs. J. A. Vandagriff Dies Suddenly At Van Alstyne Home

Mrs. Sara Elizabeth Vandegriff died suddenly at her home in Van Alstyne at 4:45 o'clock Thursday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock. She was born September 21, 1870 in Tennessee, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and was married to J. A. Vandegriff. Her husband died in 1936.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Mary Barnes and Mrs. Mamie Miller both of Van Alstyne, Mrs. Nannie Ruth Johnson, of McKinney; two sons, Bill and Edwin Vandegriff both of Sherman; Dillard Vandegriff of Sterling, Colo., and Harrison Vandegriff of Whitewright.

Three sisters, Mrs. Serena Farmer of California, Mrs. Telia Parker of Denison and Mrs. Frances Bowman of Mansfield; a brother, Bob Cook of Woodville, Okla.; 12 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Van Alstyne, conducted by Rev. Jimmy Duckworth, pastor, with burial in Pilot Grove Cemetery, directed by Fiesher Funeral Home.

Rites Held Monday Afternoon For Man Killed In Accident

Funeral services were held Monday at 3 p.m. in the Turrentine-Jackson Chapel for Doyle Willie Langley, 25, of Princeton. Rev. Troy Corzine, Baptist pastor and Harold Murphy, minister of the Church of Christ, both of Princeton, conducted the service, with interment following in Wilson Chapel Cemetery.

He was killed in an automobile accident at 12:30 a.m. Saturday, in Homer, La. He was born in Collin County, October 12, 1930 the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Langley, and was a veteran of the Korean war. He was an employe of the Western Electric Company at the time of his death.

Survivors besides his parents, are two sisters, Mrs. G. M. Tippit, of Dallas; Miss Patricia Langley, and a brother, Ashley Langley, both of Princeton, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Recer, of Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Recer of Climax, have returned from a visit with their children, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hicks and son, of Lebanon visited friends at Farmersville.

MHS Lions Start Spring Drills

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The McKinnel High Lions opened their Spring training drills Monday, February 20 under the coaching technique of Joe Simpson, Charles Qualls, Rusty Talbot and Tommy Gray. Next year the Lions will have seventeen lettermen back along with several new faces on the squad.

The following boys are entering into daily drills:

Backs — J. W. Stewart, Robert Joplin, Monty Landers, Don Jenkins, C. W. Williams, Jerry Williamson, Jerry Howard, Bob Byrd, Gerald Marshall, Clifford Hendricks and Charley McEntire.

Ends — Eugene Decker, Don Wharton, Joe Powell and Donald Crutcher.

Tackles — Charles Day, Bob Hooper, Ronald Love, Phillip Wilson, and Bob Riggs.

Guards — John Thomas Cook, James Norvell, Billy Ellenburg, Charley Powell and Cares Cox.

Centers — Elliott Knott and Don Wyatt.

Bil Gotorth and Kenneth Locke are out with slight injuries but are expected back soon.

The Lions have been having short scrimmages every day. In the scrimmage last Friday the Greens defeated the Whites 18 to 12. The first touchdown for the Whites was made by Don Wharton who ran over for the score after catching a pass from Monty Landers. Ethamon Dorethea Litchford. The second score was made by Charley McIntire went over for the first Green score. Gerald Marshall ran 17 yards for the second score. The third score was made by McIntire who received a pass from Robert Joplin.

The Lions have two more weeks of practice and are looking well. They have been working out at the Westminster football stadium. The public is invited to attend these drils at anytime. Your support will be appreciated.

Lionesses Win Bi-District Game Tuesday Night

The Boyd High Lionesses defeated the Winnsboro Raiderettes, 54 to 43, here Tuesday night at Caldwell Gym to win the bi-district championship. The Lionesses go to the regional tournament in Denton Saturday, March 3, where they meet Seagoville at 1:15 p. m. at the Men's Gym, North Texas State College.

The Lionesses, coached by Miss Mary Edmiaston, won in District 13AA last weeks, placing them in competition for bi-district play.

Miss Beverly King was high point scorer for McKinney, with 28 points. Clark and McClure tied with 19 points each for the Raiderettes.

Members of the Lioness team are: Glenda Bradshaw, Jerry Billan, Beverly King, Sandra Meing, Ethamon, Dorethea Litchford, Suzie Rogers, Glenda Felty, Shirley Kissinger, Lois Miller, Joy Littrell, Joy Arnold and Kathryn Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shoulders of Frisco visited her sister in a Dallas Hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Keese of Westminster, have been visiting in Kansas.

Ex-Students Of Princeton Plan Annual Reunion

April 14 has been set for the Princeton homecoming of ex-students. Because a large group is anticipated, the gymnasium was chosen as the place for the combined banquet, business meeting and program.

It was decided to purchase a permanent card file to record the names and addresses of exes. Secretary Mildred Huddleston would appreciate your co-operation in compiling as complete and accurate a list as possible.

Officers for 1956 are: President, Malcom Wilson; vice-president, Tommy Boorman and secretary-treasurer, Mildred Huddleston. Committee members are Supt. P. G. Henderson, H. E. Utley and Irma Littrell, food committee, and Robert Miller, Pauline Montgomery, and Allie Gantt, program committee.

Mrs. Ross H. Kerr Passes Away In Dallas Thursday

Mrs. Pearl Christian Kerr, 79, of 1107 East Anthony Street this city, passed away early Thursday in Dallas at the home of her son, Dr. Jack G. Kerr, where she had been visiting.

She was the widow of the late Ross H. Kerr, and was born in Collin County, January 11, 1877 being the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Christian, pioneer residents of Collin County.

Her survivors are a son, Dr. Kerr, of Dallas, and two grandsons, John and William P. Kerr, of Dallas.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church this city, conducted by the pastor, Dr. Charles Myers, and Rev. William E. McElvaney, associate pator of Highland Park Methodist Church. Interment will be in the Forest Grove Cemetery under the direction of Sparkman-Brand Funeral Home of Dallas.

W. K. Penn To Attend Maneuvers With Naval Reserve

W. K. Penn Jr., representative of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, in Dallas, was among the agents offered a trip to Bandra, Texas, over the week-end.

Mr. Penn will go from there to Key West, Fla., where on March 4 he will be assigned to three weeks maneuvers with the Naval Reserve, in which he is a first lieutenant.

Revival At First Christian Church To Begin Sunday

The members of the First Christian Church are completing plans this week for a week's revival which begins there Sunday. Dr. George R. Davis, of Wichita Falls, will be the evangelist while Maurice Peterman, of Dallas, will conduct the music.

The congregation is looking forward to the meeting and extends an invitation to the geeral public to join them in the services each evening. The revival will continue through Friday night, March 9.

Mrs. Dardy Ware and children of Dallas spent a few days in McKinney with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hight.

Mrs. Gerald Byrd, of McKinney, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Alexander, at Lebanon.

COLORFUL — Competing horse-racing fans get a look at Hialeah Par... But Forest spends... on canvas at Hialeah Park. Sa...

DIG THAT DRUMSTICK—Little Libby Burns has her hands full as she displays the kind of beef they're raising in Florida these days. Libby didn't eat all the meat from that leg of prime beef she's holding, however. Several dozen persons helped her out at a barbecue during west Florida's biggest cattle show and sale held recently in Quincy.

SNAPPY REED HARVEST—These men in Berlin, Germany, welcomed recent freezing weather. It froze all the surrounding lakes, making reed harvesting a snap. The men don't have to worry about getting wet, as they could walk right up to the reeds and cut them at ice level.

IT'S LEAP YEAR AGAIN—Their "fifth" birthday finally coming up, these leap-year twins in Charleston, W. Va., close their eyes and blow out the five candles on their cake. They're Mrs. Greta Sexton, left, and Mrs. Glenda Wolf, celebrating their 20th birthday (Feb. 29) a little early.

East Christian Church Plans For Pre-Easter Revival

Stanley Latcher Jr., minister of the First Christian Church at Cleveland, Okla., brought a message on "Personal Evangelism" at the East Christian Church here Tuesday evening. The occasion was a "Pot Luck Supper" attended by some 50 members who have dedicated themselves to visiting and personal evangelism preparatory to the revival meeting which will begin soon at the local church.

Rev. Latcher stressed the need of every member of the church to win soals for Christ for the forthcoming revival. Pledge cards were passed out and those present signed them indicating their willingness to call each Tuesday night from 7 to 9 preceding the "Pot Luck Supper," and return with reports to their captains. Group captains appointed are Mrs. Velma Enloe, Mrs. Veda Wright, Mrs. Margaret Lovelady, Mrs. Doris Spearman and Buster Reeder. All calling will be largely under their direction as well as the pastor and elders of the church.

The church, through its captains, has fixed a goal for the number of additions for Easter Sunday, April 1, which is decision day, with the minimum being 20 additions.

The last week in March Bro. Latcher will return on Monday and Tuesday nights, and on Thursday night the entire evening will be spent in calling. An all-church prayer meeting has been announced for March 28 when the members will form a circle of prayer for the revival.

The two weeks revival will begin on April 1 with Evangelist Cecil Todd, of Parsons, Kansas conducting the services.

Lewis Baldwin Gets Surprise Gift And Cake On Birthday

Lewis Baldwin, tax assessor collector of Collin County was given a surprise by the employes of his office, last Saturday. The occasion was in celebration of his birthday, which was on Sunday.

Mr. Baldwin was given a new hat as well as a beautiful decorated birthday cake, which was inscribed with "Happy Birthday Mr. B."

The members of the Tax-assessor collector's office force other than Mr. Baldwin are Clint Lewis, Mrs. Pauline Beene, Mrs. Ada Wilson, Mrs. Floyd Young, Miss Barbara Jackson, Mrs. Imogene Felty, Mrs. Rebecca Sullivan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Combest at Cottage Hill were Mr. and Mrs. Gwen Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Boals, Mr. and Mrs. Don Woods, of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Malone of Celina.

Band Boosters Minstrel Set For March 15,16

The seventh annual Band Boosters Minstrel Show will be presented March 15 and 16 at 8 p. m. in the Boyd High School auditorium. The show is a benefit performance for the bands of McKinney schools with all local talent participating.

B. B. Cope will again write the script and assistt George McCoy and Frank Todd, band directors, in directing the performance. Casting is underway and committees will be announced next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McMillon Have Moved To Waco To Reside

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McMillan have recently moved to Waco where they will reside in the future. Mr. McMillan is regional manager for Maytag Southwestern Company.

They have resided in McKinney for several years, where they were active members of the First Baptist Church, as well as other interested in other civic and social groups. Mr. McMillan was in business here for sometime.

Their host of friends in McKinney regret to lose them from our midst but wish them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Landis Warden Home On 30-Day Leave

2-C Airman Petty Officer Landis Warden has arrived in McKinney for a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warden and family. He is assigned to the USS Point Cruz, San Diego, Calif. but has returned from a cruise in Far Eastern waters which included stops in Japan, Okinawa, Hong Kong, Formosa and Manilla. He also participated in manuevers with the 7th Fleet off Formosa.

Warden, born and reared in McKinney, was in the Naval Air Force Reserve for three years before enlisting in the regular NAF a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Davis, of Lubbock, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis in this city. The former couple own and operate Camp Davis for boys and girls located near Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sears and daughter, Miss Nancy Sears, spent the week-end in Tyler with Rev. and Mrs. Tom Plumley and children, Nancy Lynn and Tommy.

Jaycees Enroll 32 Members In Carnegie Course

Thirty-two members have been enrolled in the Dal Carnegie Course being held here each Friday evening, under the auspices of the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce. The sessions are held at the Jaycee Center, unless otherwise specified, and the course consists of sixteen lessons on public speaking, memory work and numerous other subjects.

Interest is created in awarding a pencil for the best speech of the evening, at each class session. This week's winner went to Ed Veigel, local attorney.

Grady Littlejohn Co-Owner Of Circus

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Littlejohn left Friday for Tyler where they will premier their circus. Mr. Littlejohn is in partnership with Gus Bell, owner of an eighteen-act circus which will show in Tyler under the sponsorship of the East Tyler Shrine Club.

Next week and they will be in Greenville under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias.

Lew Wallace, author of ben Hur, was a Union General.

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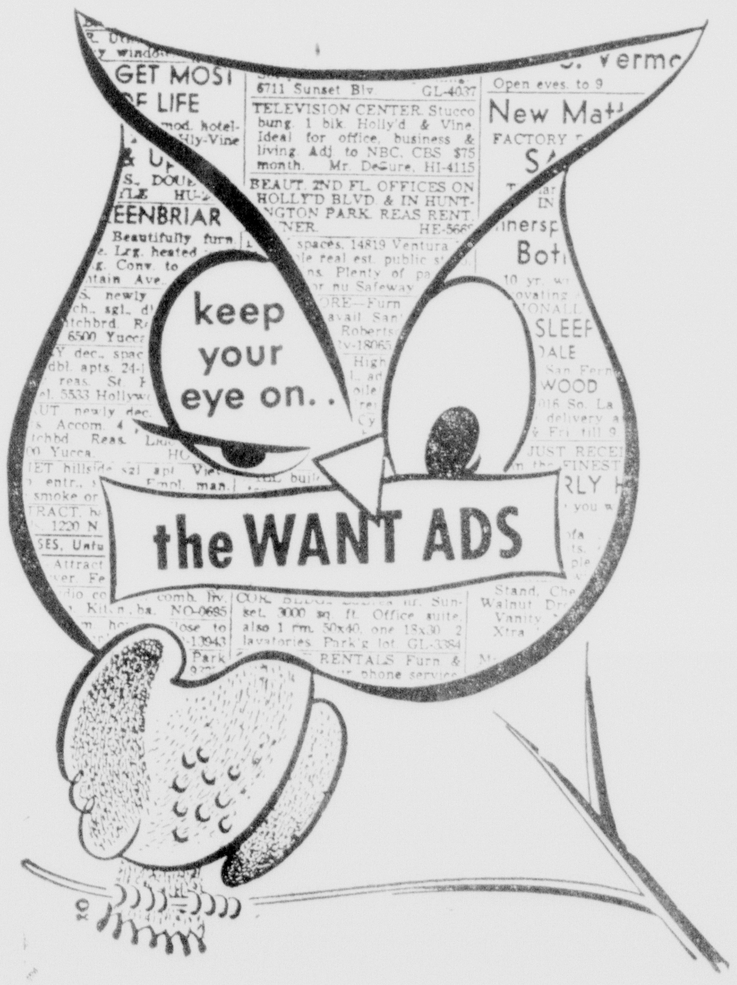

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By V. L. DAHLBERG

Increase Corn Yields By Plantin Adapted Hybrids

Farmers who plant corn should set as their objective maximum production at the lowest possible cost per bushel. The planting of an adapted corn hybrid is a mighty important step toward achieving the objective.

Only high quality seeds of proven adaptability should be planted. The hybrid corn varieties recommended by Texas A&M College for this North Texas Area are Yellow hybrids 28, 26, 30 and 32. White hybrids Texas 17 W, 15 W, and T. R. F. 3.

Texas farmers last year averaged 23.4 bushels of corn an acre, the highest average acre yield on record. Over the past 20 years the average has been approximately 16.5 bushels. Last year, approximately 16.5 bushels. Last year approximately 75 percent of the acreage planted was seeded with hybrids.

However, the late March 1955 freeze caused many farmers to go to their cribs for planting second-generation hybrids of open-pollinated varieties. Yields for the excellent growing conditions having been are carefully handled but such yields cannot be expected during detasseling, egg production under more adverse conditions. will not be lowered.

Neither second-generation hybrids nor open-pollinated varieties will produce yields comparable to adapted hybrids. Research studies have shown that adapted hybrids produce from 35 to 75 percent greater yields than the best open-pollinated varieties with even greater differences under poor conditions.

Corn breeders over a period of years, have developed hybrids which are adapted to the different corn producing areas of the state and these have been listed above.

Trends Show Favor to Debeaking of Poultry

Buying debeaked chicks for broiler production has become an increasingly popular practice among poultrymen.

Chief advantages of debeaking are prevention of feather picking and cannibalism among chickens and turkeys. Live market grade of debeaked chicks is somewhat better due to more complete feathering and experimental evidence indicated that debeaked chicks tend to produce a pound of gain for less feed than non-debeaked birds.

Day old chicks are usually debeaked by the block method, cutting off 1-3 both top and bottom beak. Debeaking of adult birds consists of removing 1-3 of the upper beak with a knife or a hot electric blade which cauterizes the area.

When debeaking is correctly done, the only real discomfort is due to extra handling. The outer beak is the same type of material as horn and hoof, and careful research has proved does not produce pain. If the excellent growing conditions having been are carefully handled but such yields cannot be expected during debeaking, egg production will not be lowered.

Debeaked birds tend to grow to more uniform size, feather more rapidly, be less nervous, and have better eating habits. It is reported that hatcheries charge 25 cents for debeaking 100 head and where birds are raised in close quarters it would seem to be a good preventive investment for the commercial poultryman. Due to present trends, it is reasonable to expect an increase in the number of chicks and turkey poults that will be debeaked at the hatchery.

With The Home Demonstration AGENT

BY MRS. LURLINE DASPIT

Arnel Fabrics Gain Prominence

When you're shopping this spring you'll be seeing many fabrics and fashions that bear the label Arnel. Extension clothing specialists explain that Arnel is a new triacetate man-made fiber closely related to the very earliest of the synthetics, viscose rayon, and acetate.

Arnel's claim to fame is that it combines many of the fine properties of the new synthetics with additional ones at lower cost. Arnel is being made in wash-and-wear fabrics that can be machine washed and tumble-dried. It resists heat and holds pleats, shape and texture.

Testing and research indicate that Arnel is less static-producing than other man-made fibers. It has a pleasantly soft hand combined with good wrinkle-resistance.

Some fabrics will be featured in 100 percent Arnel. You will also find it used in combination with other fibers. It is being made in many different weaves including faille, jersey, charkskin, crepe, taffeta, and tricot.

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Gardening Time

There are a number of cool season garden crops that can be planted now or within the next few days. Here are several tips on some of the crops you may be planning to plant.

Every home gardener should know the average frost-free date for his county.

Some of the crops that can be planted 4-6 weeks before the frost-free date are cabbage, English peas, lettuce, onions, Irish potatoes, and spinach. Be sure to get these English peas in early for the best production. They do their best during the cool weather.

It is also time to plant those tomato seeds in the boxes or hot beds. Don't depend on someone else to supply you with tomato plants. Some old favorites you may like to grow are Stokesdale, Pritchard, and Rutgers. Two new varieties developed by the Agricultural Experiment Station are Texto 1 and Texto 2. Texto 1 is adapted to the southern part of the state. It is a large tomato that yields well and is of good quality. Texto 2 is not as large as Texto 1 but does exceptionally well in the central part of the state. It is a very smooth tomato which is resistant to Fusurian Wilt and Collar Rot.

Don't overplant. Plant only what you can take care of, then you will be proud of your home garden.

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Treating Dressed Poultry With Antibiotics

Poultry processors have made another big step to insure consumers high quality poultry. Recently a new method to prolong the shelf life of poultry was announced. The birds are simply dipped in an aureomycin solution.

This is the same antibiotic the doctor prescribes for you. However, the solution in which chicken is dipped is diluted, having only 10 parts of aureomycin to a million parts of water.

Most food products have bacteria present. By dipping the chicken carcasses in this antibiotic solution a large number of these bacteria are killed. The antibiotic is destroyed by heat when the chicken is cooked, so there is no way to tell by taste those that have been dipped.

This will not mean that poultry will be held for longer times in the stores. Most places will have the chicken delivered freshly each week so it is just an added safeguard.

Miss Cundiff In Contest For Scholarship

Lynn Cundiff of Allen was judged Saturday, February 18, by Miss Frances Reasonover, States Foods Specialist from A & M College and Chairman of the judging committee; Miss Vida Holt, District Extension Agent from Ft. Stockton, Texas; Miss Thelma Casey, District Extension Agent from San Angelo, Texas; and Mrs. C. R. Berkley, Home Demonstration club woman from Odessa, for a $500 4-H club scholarship.

Lynn's record was the winning record in the District and competed in the State Contest. From ten records entered in the State Contest 6 girls were visited throughout the state of Texas.

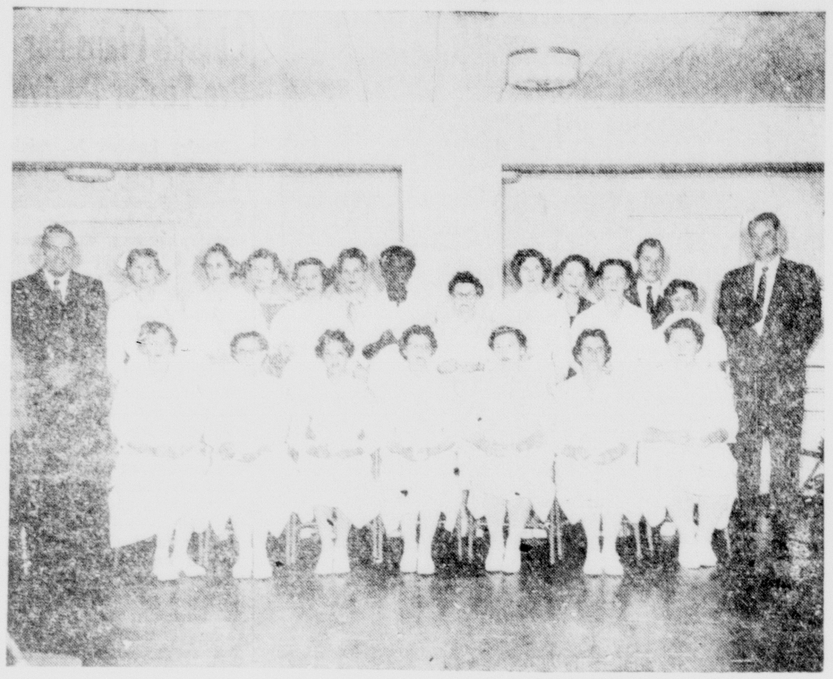
Lynn is competing for one of three $500 scholarships which will be given by the State Texas Home Demonstration Association (THDA) Council. The committee visited Lynn's home to meet her family and see her demonstrations which she had conducted. Lynn had remodeled her bedroom and painted it with paint that Sherwin-Williams T. J. Benninghield, of McKinney, had given her. Twenty-four girls saw the demonstration.

She told the group of her other 4-H activities in Leadership, Home Management, and Home Improvement. She and her mother had recently reupholstered two couches. The committee visited in her home from 2:00 until 4:30 p. m.

The local 4-H leader, Miss Faye Hudson, and the Christian Church pastor, Rev. James Helen, of Allen met with the group and told the committee of Lynn's activities in church, school and 4-H activities.

Mrs. Marshall Jones and daughter, Miss Jenny Jones, of Dallas, visited McKinney friends recently.

CAPPING CEREMONY FOR LOCAL NURSES



Pictured above are the nurses who received their caps at special ceremonies held at the First Baptist Church. Also shown in the picture are Dr. J. C. Erwin, Dr. Mrs. Eleanor Highlist, Church; Mattie Fudge, Peggy Gardner, Narcissus Young, Addie Whitworth, Charles Myers and W. S. Nichols, hospital administrator.

Back row left to right: Dr. J. C. Erwin, Jr., Mrs. Eleanor Highlander, Marilyn Locke, Ruth Copeland, Juanita Grisham, Lois Harris, Annie Lou Justice, Charles E. Myers, Josephine Lehew and William S. Nichols.

Seated: Ruth Craver, Ruth Frair, Norma Jean Cage, Juanita Grisham, Lois Harris, Annie Lou Justice, and Rita Kirkwood.

Piano Style Show To Be Presented There Thursday Night

The fifth annual style show sponsored each Spring by the ladies of the Thursday Study Club of Plano will be presented next Thursday night, March 1, at 8 o'clock at the high school gymnasium, according to an announcement made by the club ladies Tuesday of this week.

Participants this year will be the Town & Country Shop of Mrs. Major Neely and DeVasher's of Mrs. Jewell DeVasher. Some 40 or 50 models will parade the latest styles and creations at that time.

Entertainment will be interspersed between the various styles modeled, and Director Emett Clem will present Plano High School Band in a half hour concert preceding the Style Revue.

The majorettes will perform during the concert by the High School Band.

No admission will be charged, but all those who attend will be expected that the crowd will easily number three thousand—will be given the opportunity to make a free will offering which will go for Plano Community Projects.

According to Mrs. Allen Dunagan, who makes this announcement, Mrs. Fred Myers will be Style Show Chairman, other members of her committee being Mrs. H. H. Chandler and Mrs. J. Frank Hall. Mrs. Hall is President of the Thursday Study Club. Mrs. P. C. Stoneman.

One of Plano's best-known and most active groups, the Thursday Study Club is known not only for its literary efforts but for its wide interest in civic projects and is always ready for lend a willing hand in efforts for the betterment of the city and community.

Miss Sylvia Floyd will be pianist for the show and there will possibly be other talent provided in addition to her playing and the band concert a half hour preceding the show.

Don W. Bagwell will be master of ceremonies, Miss Mary Virginia Wyatt will be the commentator and Mrs. Peggy Nelson will be coordinator of the show.

Collin County Bank Christmas Club Will Help You Save Money

The Collin County National Bank has recently announced a Christmas Club, whereby savings made now, will be available for next Christmas.

The club runs for 50 weeks, whereby each week a small amount is deposited in the Christmas Club. By next Christmas the money will be at your disposal for buying gifts or for other holiday expenditures.

In joining the club the small amount of money set aside each week, will not be missed from your regular budget, but will be greatly appreciated during the Christmas season, when the lump sum is available to you. Plan now and you will have ready money next Christmas, if you join the Collin County National Banks' Christmas Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Baldwin and son, Charles Thomas, of Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin and son, John, of Fort Worth, visited their mother, Mrs. Nora Baldwin here recently.

Miss Kate Tom Staples, student in Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Staples.

Dental Poster Contest Winners Are Announced

The winners in the poster contest, held recently in connection with Dental Health Week, have been announced. The winners, receiving cash prizes, represented the elementary schools of the city, as follows:

West Ward — Bonnie Gosten, first; Tanny Czarowitz, second; Billy Mike Smith, third; Garry Christian, fourth; Kerry Dennis, fifth. Honorable mention—Amy Wright, Frank Jay, Mildred Page, B. McReynolds, Brenda Daniels and Diane Litchford.

Central Ward — Judy Dugger, first; David Carrell, second; Sheila Miller, third; Charles Morris, fourth; Robert Lottiee, fifth. Donna Gail, Genora Smith, Lillie Smith and Deanne Smith, honorable mention.

North Ward—Gene Ray Parker, first; Gary Parker, second; Karen Glenzer, third; Ickey Lee Ellis, fourth; Vickie Rutledge, fifth. Mary Kathryn Stogdill and Donnie McCutcheon, honorable mention.

South Ward — Clint Roberts, first; Brigido Lozano, second; Kathy Oliver, third; Gloria Jean Bates, fourth; Don Combest, fifth; Linda Scott, Shirley Gillentine, Mary Sue Williams, Vickie Sue Evans and Martha Kerr, honorable mention.

Doty School—B. K. Jordan, first; Irene Claybourne, second; Victor S. Walters, third; Ruth Doty, fourth; and James Lowe, fifth.

The poster contest was sponsored by local members of the Fourth District Denton Auxiliary. The prize money was donated by Drs. Hicks and Hicks, Dr. James Couch, Dr. Ray Largent, Dr. Frank Martin and Dr. Morris Minton. The cooperation of the school nurse, Mrs. Merle Thomas, faculty and principals of schools, helped make the contest a success. The judges were Joy Herron, Joan Holloway and Dolores Hagy, who are members of the 8th grade Art Class.

Red River Valley Bantam Association Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Red River Valley Bantam Association was held in the office of Chas W. Stamps, Sherman, Sunday afternoon, with W. D. Parks, vice president, of Bonham presiding.

Officers elected for the year 1956 were: W. W. Smith, president, Bonham; Rudolph Paclik, first vice president, Gainesville; J. R. Whitfill, second vice president, Pottsboro; C. C. Wisdom, Secretary Treasurer, McKinney.

In addition to the above officers, the following were elected directors, Jerome Smith, Denison; Shirley Johnson, Denton, U. L. Vincent, Sherman.

It was voted to hold a Lawn Show in Sherman May 20th. Arrangements for the show will be made by a Show Committee to be appointed by the new president. All members will be advised as soon as plans are worked out for the show.

The association's annual show will be held in connection with the Cooke County Fair which probably will be held the latter part of August and early September, exact dates to be announced.

It was voted to affiliate the Red River Valley Bantam Association with the Texas Bantam Association, and J. R. Whitfill was elected as a Texas Bantam Association Director to represent the local association.

Cub Pack 294 Has Annual Blue And Gold Banquet

Cub Scout Pack 294 was entertained at the North Ward school Monday night with the annual Blue and Gold banquet.

Decorations in the chosen colors, together with the U. S. Flag and the Cub Scout flag, were used upon the tables. A delicious dinner of fried chicken, salad, baked beans, macaroni and cheese, cake, pie, coffee and cold drinks was served to 145 members and guests.

Chapiam James Parks gave the invocation after which a program of Indian dances was enjoyed. Scouts Albert Helsley, Charles Cooper and Charles Ledbetter, in their colorful Indian costumes, performed the dances. These boys are from Troop 303. Their program was entertaining and greatly enjoyed by all present.

The Den Mothers had charge of arranging for the banquet, decorating the tables and serving. The parents of the Cubs contributed the food for the delicious banquet.

East Texas Hereford Breeders Spring Sale March 5 At Tyler

JACKSONVILLE, Texas—The East Texas Hereford Breeder Association will hold its Eighth Annual Spring Sale at the East Texas Fair Grounds, Tyler, Texas, on Monday, March 5, 1956, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Fifty seven head of registered polled and horned Herefords, including herdbulls, cows and calves have been consigned to the sale by recognized Hereford breeders of this area. Colonel Walter Britten of College Station will serve as auctioneer. A. C. "Buck" Hughes of the East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce, Texas, will judge the show, which will be held at 9:00 a.m. on the same day.

Buyers from Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana are expected to attend the sale. An attendance prize for buyers will be offered.

The East Texas Hereford Breeders Association, which maintains its headquarters in Jacksonville, was organized for the purpose of improving the Hereford cattle industry in East Texas. Officers of the association are: A. P. Van Winkle, Dallas, President; C. O. Wilkins, Kemp, Vice President; and J. E. Brown, Jacksonville, Secretary-Treasurer.

Clyde Horn Entertains Garagemen Of County

C. P. Horn, owner of the C. P. Horn Auto Supply, wholesale distributors for the famed Walker Oil Filter, was host to over one hundred garagemen and car parts dealers at a dinner at the Country Club Tuesday night.

A demonstration of the Walker Filter was carried out by Messrs. Tate Hale and Pat Patterson, of the Dallas Regional office of the Walker Company, which headquarters in Racine, Wisconsin.

A number of valuable door prizes were given away. Lewis West was master of ceremonies and introduced the speakers of the evening.

Following in the very successful business meeting a delicious buffet dinner was served.

Miss Lauretta Graves of Stillwater, Okla., is visiting her brother, C. E. Graves and family here.

Fourteen Nurses Capped InFormal Ceremony Here

Fourteen students of the City-County Hospital School of Vocational Nursing were capped in a formal ceremony Thursday evening at the First Baptist Church, this city. Mrs. Robert D. Hightower, R. N., Director of the School of Vocational Nursing, introduced Dr. Charles E. Myers, pastor, First Baptist Church, who gave the invocation.

William S. Nichols, Administrator of the hospital, spoke on the value of adequately training nurses for the hospital. He congratulated the students on the accomplishment of having completed the preclinical period of their course of instruction and wished them continued success in their clinical course.

Dr. J. C. Erwin, Jr., president of City-County Hospital Medical Staff, addressed the students regarding their worthy vocation, and also mentioned the various changes in medicines and treatments over the years, advocating that all professional people stay abreast with progress in her particular field.

Mrs. Hightower presented each student with a Cap and Nightingale Lamp — the cap represents purity and the lamp, knowledge. The capping ceremony is symbolic of completion of the first phase of the students' training. They repeated the Nightingale Pledge and closed with the nurse's prayer. Those receiving caps were as follows: Ruth Craver, McKinney; Ruth Frair, Weston; Juanita Grisham, Blue Ridge; Norma Jean Cage, McKinney; Lois Harris, Celina; Eloy Renfro, McKinney; Addie Whitworth, Melissa; Annie Lou Justice, McKinney; Narcissus Young, McKinney; Josephine Lehew, McKinney; Marilyn Locke, McKinney; Juanita Summers, McKinney; Mattie Fudge, McKinney; and Rita Kirkwood, McKinney.

The school opened October 3, 1955, with an enrollment of fourteen students, who will complete their training in October, 1956 and will become Licensed Vocational Nurses.

Mrs. Charles E. Myers rendered appropriate piano selections during the ceremony and for the reception which followed. Approximately 150 guests were invited to have refreshments of decorated cake squares, nuts, mints and spiced tea from a beautifully appointed table graced with a white cut-work cloth and centerpiece of white carnations and yellow daffodils, carrying out class colors of gold and white. Mrs. William S. Nichols presided at the tea service, and Mrs. Bill Gardner, Mrs. Hoyt Copeland, Mrs. Marlin Terrell, Mrs. Zelma Curry and Mrs. Virginia Haney, assited in serving.

Cleveland Hendricks Passes Away At Home Near Melissa Tuesday

Cleveland Hendricks, 71, died at his home, Route 1, Melissa, at 5 a. m. Tuesday. He was born February 2, 1885, in Anna, the son of James A. and Malinda Derrick Hendricks. He was a farmer by trade and member of the Christian Church.

Surviving are his wife, four sons: Charlie and Douglas Hendricks, of Melissa; C. C. Hendricks, of Dallas, and Bill Hendricks, of Midland; three daughters, Mrs. Glen Graves, of California; Mrs. Marvin Marshall, of Dallas; Mrs. Joe Knox, of McKinney; four sisters, Mrs. B. W. Roper and Mrs. Leford Nichols, both of Anna; Miss Kathryn Long of Wichita Falls; and Miss Hester Hendricks of McKinney; 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Woodmen Of Celina Elect New Officers

Members of the Celina W. O. W. Lodge elected officers for the current year in a meeting recently at Nelson's Cafe, where they enjoyed an oyster supper.

Lee Rucker was elected consul commander. Other officers, Russel Baldridge, advisory lieutenant; John Perkins, banker; J. E. Conatser Jr., secretary; Henry Rodgers, escort; F. E. Bell, watchman, and Bobby Bunch, sentry. Sam Bateman, Claud Melton, and Leslie Bigerstaff were elected auditors, for three-year and one-year terms, respectively.

Tona Ball was master of ceremonies. Visitors were Fred Biggerstaff, Frisco, and Roy Mayes and Grady Dunn from Weston.

Miss Vivian Bell, local voice and piano teacher, is confined to her home this week with the flu. She has been quite ill but is somewhat improved today.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bell and granddaughter, Miss Georgia Beth Thomas, of Dallas visited Mr. Bell's sisters, Misses Bessie and Vivian Bell here recently.

Mrs. W. K. Penn left Saturday for Gonzales where he will visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. F. B. Miesenhelder.

News From Friendly . . .

FARMERSVILLE

BY MRS. V. E. WILSON
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earle Anthony of Fort Worth were week-end visitors of friends and relatives here. Mrs. Anthony was formerly Joy Dell Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wright and son, Michael, of Mesquite (Dallas) were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George McAdams and Ray Wright.

Mrs. and Mrs. Garland Lee Ratliff and three children, Douglas Wayne, Marcia Lynn, and Janice are new residents of Farmersville. Having moved here recently from Emory. Their residence is located at corner of Orange and Summit Streets. Mr. Ratliff is the son of O. L. Ratliff, constable for Precinct No. 2.

Mmes. R. L. Wisdom, Otis Wilder, and R. P. Davis were in McKinney Saturday shopping. The subject for the greater portion of the shopping was little Paul Davis, age 10 weeks.

Raenelle Smith, sophomore at East Texas State Teachers College, daughter of Mrs. T. C. Smith of Farmersville, was one of the few to make the Dean's List, the highest honor roll in the college, during the past semester. Raenelle was graduated from Farmersville High School with high honors and also received an award for being an outstanding student in Journalism. Among her other activities while in E. T. S. she was one of the band majorettes and was a member of the Hi Lite staff for several years as copy writer.

As an added honor, Raenelle is among the one hundred coeds at E. T. S. T. C. to be nominated as college beauties. The decision for the winners will be made Feb. 29.

W. C. Pendleton spent the week-end in Dallas with his daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Tuce.

Tommie Sue Smith of Dallas spent the week-end in Farmersville with her mother, Mrs. Tommie Smith.

The Junior class was entertained with a "backward leap year party" at the Country Club Friday evening. Mmes. John McCraw and J. M. Talley, room mothers, were in charge of the plans. The girls came dressed as boys and the boys were dressed as girls. The games were played "backward" in keeping with the leap year idea. Doris Stockberry, Betty Burks, and Tommy Wisdom directed the games. Jackie Wright, Martha Brewer, Carol Hooper, Ernest Toombs, and Lois Gist arranged for the refreshments which consisted of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles and soft drinks.

Charlene Caldwell entertained a group of teen-age friends Friday evening in her home at 208 Sycamore Street. Betty Lou Brownlow and Joan Anderson were co-hostesses and assisted in directing the games. The guests included: James Tol Liston, Charles Carrington, Emma Lou Baker, Patricia Tate, Shirley Patterson, Johnny McIver, Patsy McRight, Jimmy Gatlin, Ray Romine, Philip Holt, Bobby Fisher, B. A. Wilcoxson, and Mary Jo Gooch. Refreshments of cookies and cold drinks were served. E. M. Thompson, the class sponsor was unable to be present because of illness.

Willis D. Carter is still on the critical list in the VA Hospital in McKinney. He suffered a heart attack last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Davenport and H. M. Jr. of Corsicana were week-end guests of the O. L. Ratliffs.

A birthday party was given in honor of Joyce Patterson Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Sam Wright. Misses Patsy Addington and Rheda Hall were hostesses. The guests included: Barbara Cummings, Charline Caldwell, Shirley Patterson, Joan Anderson, Patricia Sisco, Faye Romine, Patsy McRight, Jerry Anderson, Tommy Wilson, Ray Romine, Harold Bedford, Scotty White, Philip Holt, Bobby Fisher, James Recer, Bubba Stinebaugh. Rheda Hall was in charge of games. After the presentation of the gifts, cookies and soft drinks were served.

The Sophomore Class was honored with a sweetheart party Monday evening at the Farmersville Country Club. Mmes. F. M. Dyer and F. L. Hart, room mothers, planned the party. Mrs. J. M. Bledsoe, the class sponsor, directed the games. The Valentine motif was employed. Cookies and punch were served to 25 guests.

After a short vacation in Beaumont, the Doyle Skinners have returned to Farmersville and have reopened the Skinners Cafe downtown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson and son, Jerry Don, visited relatives in Dallas this week.

A number of friends gathered in the home of the Paul Hintons Friday evening in celebration of their moving into their new hotme recently. After the presentation of the gifts, cookies and cokes were served.

L. T. Addington Of Farmersville Dies Saturday Night

Leroy Thedford Addington, 58, retired farmer, of Farmersville, died suddenly in McKinney Saturday night at 11 o'clock. He had been in failing health for several years, suffering from a heart ailment in recent months.

He was born April 29, 1897 in Arkansas, the son of Willis and Delia Ann Thomas. He came to Texas in 1912 and married Miss Corda Riley in Emory, in 1916. He had lived in and around Farmersville for the past 25 years and was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. at the First Assembly of God Church in Farmersville, conducted by Rev. V. E. Wilson, pastor, and Rev. H. H. Peters, pastor at McKinney, burial in the Wilson Cemetery, directed by Fielder-Baker Funeral Home of Farmersville.

His survivors are his wife, five daughters, Mrs. Norine Williams, of Snyder; Mrs. Beatrice L. McAdams, of Lubbock; Mrs. Inez Wright, Mrs. Dorothy Parmer and Miss Patsy Ruth Addington, all of Farmersville; four sons, L. A. Jr., Everett Lee and Walter L. Addington, all of Farmersville; Elmo Addington of Dallas; three brothers, Claud Addington, of Climax, Clyde Addington, of California, and Dewey Addington, of Chicago; five sisters, Mrs. Arizona Downs and Mrs. Marjorie Tate, both of Farmersville, Mrs. Fannie Mae Cox, of Centerville, Kansas; Mrs. Frankie Montgomery, of Seymour, and Mrs. Laura Horton, of Upland, Calif., and 26 grandchildren.

James Claud Smith Dies Early Monday In Rest Home Here

James Claud Smith, 61, died in the Morris Rest Home here Monday at 4:30 a.m. He formerly lived at Winnsboro, but had been here for three years.

He was a native Texan, born June 12, 1894, the son of J. A. and Ida Johnson Smith and was a hotel and cafe man by trade. He had been in failing health for about five years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Lovell, of New Jersey, three grandchildren and four sisters, Mrs. Leroy Harllee and Mrs. Jessie Mae Barnes, both of El Paso, Mrs. Wade B. Abernathy of Corsicana and Mrs. Melvin Gotcher, of McKinney.

Former Collin Woman Gets Highway Engineer License

Mrs. Mary Virginia Helton, Dallas, is one of two women in Texas possessing a license as a highway engineer. Her license was recently granted by the Highway Department, according to her brother, Ennis Williams.

Mrs. Helton was reared in Celina, being a daughter of the late W. F. Williams, and Mrs. Williams of Abilene, former Celina residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Foster and children of McKinney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ratliff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Selman from Dallas were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nix.

Mrs. Willie Farmer and Judy from Wichita Falls and Mrs. C. H. Esch and baby from Irving were visitors Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ratliff.

Mrs. Annie Grounds, of Blue Ridge, and her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Harben, made a business trip to Leonard, Texas Wednesday morning.

Annie Jewel Nix the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nix of Farmersville, and James L. Smithson of New Jersey were united in marriage Thursday, Feb. 16, at the Bruton Road Baptist Church in Dallas. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Adams, the pastor. The couple left Dallas Friday en route to Lumberton, New Jersey where Mr. Smithson is stationed in the Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Holt, of Dallas, are the proud parents of a baby girl, Stephania Lynn, born February 17. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clay Sanders, of Wolfe City, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holt, of Farmersville.

Lloyd Hendricks, who suffered a heart attack several weeks ago, has been able to return to his cafe this week for a few hours each day.

Raymond P. Bennett has been released from the VA hospital and is now at home. It is hopeful that he will be able to resume his duties as high school principal soon.

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Dr. Morris Wallace To Address Teachers At NTSC Convention

With a theme of "Teachers — Our Hope for Tomorrow," the seventh annual state convention of Texas Future Teachers of America clubs will be held Friday and Saturday (March 2 and 3) at North Texas State College, in Denton.

More than 800 students from about 100 Texas high schools are expected to attend the convention which includes three general sessions climaxed by a banquet in the Bruce Hall dining room on the NTSC campus Saturday night.

Miss Waurine Walker, past-president of the Texas State Teachers Association and of the National Education Association, will be the guest speaker at the banquet.

Registration for the 1956 convention will be held from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Friday and from 8 to 10 a. m. Saturday.

Larry Robinson of Vernon, president of the Texas FTA, will open the first general session at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the main auditorium. Other state officers include LaNelle Selby, Amarillo, vice president; Cynthia Cullen, Alamo Heights, recording secretary; Carol Ann Sue, San Angelo, financial secretary; Marcia Byars, Vernon, corresponding secretary; Dr. Everett L. Tarbox, NTSC School of Education faculty consultant and John Lovelady, Austin, TSTA advisor.

The first session speaker will be Dr. Morris Wallace, head of the education department at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Friday night will be devoted to a stage show in the main auditorium from 7 to 8:30 p. m. and entertainment program in the women's gymnasium conducted by students from Texarkana High School.

Dr. Wallace, one of the speakers is a native of Collin County who is now reputed to be one of the outstanding educators in the Southwest. He was born in Melissa and attended public schools there and in McKinney prior to his College and University work. He also taught in the McKinney High School for a period.

History Of Little Elm To Be Portrayed In Program Friday

History of 112 Years in Little Elm Community" will be the theme of a program in the Little Elm School auditorium, March 2, 1956, with Newt Sugraves acting as master of ceremonies. Open house will begin at 2:00 p. m. and continuing until in the night with a program at 7:30 p. m. Historical documents, letters of pioneers, business ss, pictures, doctors, teachers, etc. will be on exhibit. A brief history of Little Elm prior to 1900 will be given by W. C. Potter of Denton and a sketch after 1900 by Mrs. Guy Marion of Prosper. The singschools of the early 1900s will sing under the leadership on their teacher, Ralph Killingsworth. The Hutson Quartet will also sing as well as the school chorus under the direction of Mrs. Roy Haggard. Mrs. Otis Fowler, Denton County librarian, will give some of the values of such a history. H. C. Zellers will present some of the plans for the future of Little Elm. Old pictures will be shown by the use of an opaque projector.

Special recognition will be given to visitors. Prizes will be given to the oldest person born in this community present, to the person living here the longest and to the person traveling the longest distance.

The public is invited to attend. Anyone having anything to contribute is urged to do so. The program is under the direction of the seventh and eighth grades with all grades assisting.

Seniors To Be Honored At Dance

Misses Mary Griffin, Ann Sisterson, Janet Wolford and Rubyrae Foster, members of the senior class, will be honored at a formal dance at the McKinney Country Club Friday evening. Hosts for the party are parents of the honorees as follows: Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Griffin, Mrs. Flora Sisterson, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wolford and Mrs. and Mrs. Jimmy Foster.

Members of the graduating class and a number of other guests have been invited. Music for dancing will be furnished by the Foster Combo.

Mrs. Frances Rutherford and son, William, of Irving, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Tucker.

Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Housewright, of Frisco, were Dallas visitors.

Fred Dickinson, employe at the McKinney Post Office, who has been in the City-County Hospital for several days with pneumonia, is reported to be improving nicely. Fred's host of friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Contemporary Fine Arts Festival Begins In Denton March 9

The two-week Festival of Contemporary Fine Arts at North Texas State College, Denton will begin March 9 with a performance by Jose Limon and his dance group.

The festival conducted for the fifth consecutive year at the college, will last through March 24.

The two weeks will include programs by off-campus artists, concerts and a Shakespearean play by the music and drama departments, and faculty symposiums and panel discussions of the fine arts.

Included on the festival program will be a concert by Miss Marjorie McClung, vocalist from New York; a lecture by Mrs. Caro Brown, Pulitzer prize-winning Texas journalist; five presentations of Shakespeare's "Macbeth" by the NTSC Symphony Orchestra; concerts; and a program by the NTSC Brass Ensemble.

Also scheduled are a lecture by Miss Sara Scott, Dallas playwright and field representative for the Margo Jones Theatre '56, a lecture by Miss May Sarton, who will also conduct a class on the writing of poetry and short stories; a panel symposium on the "Information Theory and the fine arts; a chamber music concert, and a lecture by Dr. Gilbert Chase, head of the music department at University of Oklahoma.

The still incompleted program lists an art exhibit in the library for the two-week period and various panel discussions.

Mrs. W. W. Prueit has returned from a three months visit with Capt. and Mrs. F. H. Ogilvie and children in Monterrey, Calif., and Kenneth Prueit and family in Alhambra, Calif.

Miss Lola Bell Howard has returned to her home in Corsicana after a two weeks visit here with her sister, Mrs. Neville Errington.

Mrs. Lela McFerrin has returned to her home at Westminster, from a visit with her children in Mesquite.

Celina Club Plans Stunt Show March 2

Members of the Fidelis Inter Se Club at Celina are making plans for the presentation of another "Stunt Show," similar to a show staged by the club last year.

Various organizations have been invited to participate by staging a stunt for the show. Among them are the Boy Scouts, Booster Club, Quarterback Club, Garden Club, MacDowell Club, Inter Se Club, Junior Music Club, Volunteer Fire Department, Home Demonstration Club in Alla, Celina and Weston, and Future Farmers, Parent-Teacher Associations and grade schools of both Celina and Alla.

Date for the show has been set for Friday night, March 2, in the Celina High School gym. Curtain time is 7:30. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Leslie Biggerstaff at the Biggerstaff Flower shop, or from Mrs. Tom Luce at the Ritz Theatre.

Prizes of $10.00, $5.00 and $2.50 will be awarded for the three best stunts. Judges will be out-of-town guests.

Those enjoying lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Ron McCarley Sunday were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCarley and Debra, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McCarley Eddy and Suzanne, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie R. Gries, Keith and Mark, of Duncanville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shields and children, of Prosper, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Shields.

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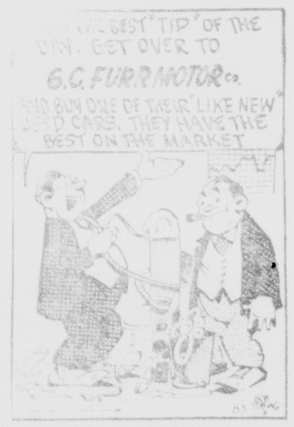

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Frisco Boy Celebrated 5th Birthday

Bobby Johnson, of Frisco, celebrated his fifth birthday with a party February 15. Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to 12 boys and girls and several mothers. Mrs. W. T. Johnson assisted her son and grandson in entertaining.

Former Collin Boy Marries In Japan

Lieut. Dick Scott Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clark of Dugan Oaks, but formerly of McKinney, was married on February 25 to Miss Yoshiko Enichi at Kentucky. They are making the post chapel Camp Worthington their by place.

Lieut. Clark is the grandson of Sing's sons. Newt and Brady are Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Clark of Celina, visiting their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wysong.

Mrs. John Allen, Miss Eunice Allen and Mary Lee Powers spent the week-end in Corsicana with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Whaley.

Miss Frazier Is Guest At A&M Prom

Miss Betty Ruth Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frazier, was one of the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Jernigan and family to attend the Junior Prom at A&M College on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Wysong On Trip To West Indies

Mrs. Charles Wysong left Tuesday morning through the West Indies. She was joined at Miami by Mrs. William Wells, of Kentucky. They are making the trip by plane.

While they are away, Mrs. Wysong will visit her son, Newt and Brady are Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Clark of Celina, visiting their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wysong.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Handley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Handley and family at Cottage Hill.

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Local Boy Receives Rank Of Lieutenant Commander In Navy

After being promoted to lieutenant commander in the Navy at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Larry F. Hines of McKinney received the insignia of his new rank from Maj. Gen. William T. Sharpe, commander of Brooke Army Medical Center. Commander Hines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim T. Hines, 310 Wilson Street, is the first Naval officer to join the staff of the Brooks Surgical Research Unit. He arrived at Fort Houston after a four-year surgical residency at the San Diego Naval Hospital. He was graduated from Louisiana State University's School of Medicine in 1948. His wife, Virginia, is now living in San Antonio.

NEW VOTER

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Larry F. Drake were in Ponca Valley, Okla., Wednesday to bring their new grandson, Robert Michael Burton, born there Tuesday night, February 21. The little fellow, weighing 7 pounds and 13 ounces, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Burton. His mother is the former Miss Sara Drake of McKinney.

IT'S A BOY

Ann's Pharmacy was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Steckler of Dallas on Tuesday at the Carswell Hospital in Fort Worth. The young man has been named Donald Mark. The mother is the former Miss Louise Jetton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jetton of Dallas. Grandparents of the little fellow are Mrs. Kate Jetton of McKinney and Mrs. Martha Bunch of Paris. The father, who is in the service, is stationed in Germany.

E. L. (Hawk) Daniels is slowly improving at his home on North Church Street after several months confinement. Mr. Daniels has a host of friends in the city, all of whom wish for his recovery.

M-SGT. L. B. Burgess And Family Now Live In London, England

M-Sgt. L. B. Burgess, wife and daughter, Charlotte Ray, are now residing in London, England, where he was recently stationed with the Air Force, being transferred from Fort Worth.

M-Sgt. Burgess was reared in McKinney and attended the public schools here. He has a host of friends who wish him well in his new location.

He recently wrote to his aunt, Mrs. R. C. Coleman, in McKinney telling of his new home and some of the interesting experiences he and his family are having.

W. K. Penn Selected To Attend Advanced Sales Forum

W. K. Penn, special agent for the Prudential Insurance Company of America in McKinney, has been selected by Prudential's Southwestern Home Office to attend an advanced sales forum at Bandera February 26 through February 29.

Announcement of the selection was made by James G. Hill, CLU, manager of the James G. Hill Agency in Dallas, who said that Prudential representatives who will attend the forum were chosen on the basis of outstanding work in life underwriting.

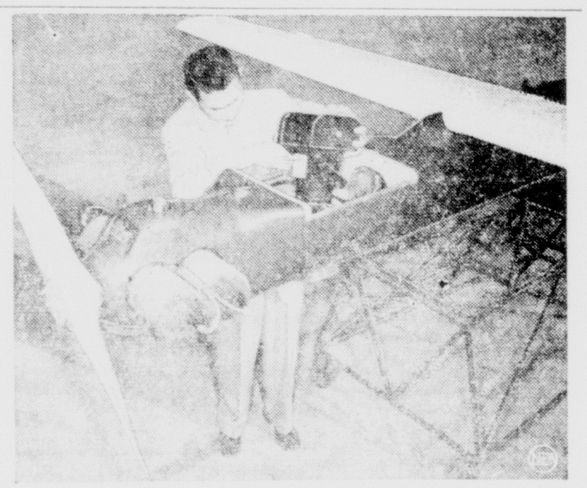
The forum will be devoted to a business insurance, estate planning and other aspects of advance life underwriting.

Mrs. Ritchey And Children Move Back To McKinney

Mrs. H. E. Ritchey and children, Beverly and Rex, have recently moved back to McKinney from Allen, where they have been residing for the past nine months. They are residing at the VA Hospital where Mr. Ritchey is a patient but expects to soon be discharged after a year's confinement. He was formerly employed at the hospital.

Mrs. B. H. Brown is improving from a severe injury received recently when she fell.

GID-DAP!—Ready to go places on their giant snow rabbit are two-year-old Paul Crosby, seated up front, and his sister, Cheryl, 4. Their father made the icy animal in the yard of their Minneapolis, Minn., home. It took him about three hours.



FLYING CAMERA—The RP-5L, [illegible] is a radio-controlled [illegible] that has been developed by Radioplane Company for [illegible] tactical [illegible] positions in less than an hour, by Radioplane Company engineers in Van Nuys, Calif. A 12-foot plane is being launched by [illegible] while company engineer is shown [illegible] a camera in the forward [illegible] during flight by remote control.

FAT OF THE MOON—The weird-looking object above is a fairy-tale moon—being explored by space travelers—made from some 40 pounds of pork fat. Creator is confectioner Jean Chabot, shown finishing his "masterpiece" in Nice, France. The pork-fat moon required 20 days' work to complete.

HERE'S WHAT DIETING CAN DO—Mrs. Margaret Pavlowski cut her weight from 306 pounds to 173½ pounds in just 11 months of dieting. For this feat she deservingly won a reducing contest in Chicago, Ill. At left, she steps on scale to prove her great "loss." She's shown at right as she looked before she began her diet.

Fowl Supply This Year Is Plentiful

A plentiful supply of broilers and fryers will be available for March meals according to recent information from the Agricultural Marketing Service of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Also a higher placement of chicks this year, compared with 1955, will assure the homemaker of a good supply tender broilers and fryers to add flavor to their meals, the government agency said.

With this added supply of good produce on the market a variety of tempting chicken dishes can be prepared. Here are four chicken dishes tested in the kitchens of Lone Star Gas Company's home economics department:

Deviled Chicken: Dip 12 thighs or drumsticks in ½ cup melted butter or margarine. Lay chicken one layer deep in baking pan. Bake covered in moderate gas oven (350 degrees F.) 30 minutes. Mix with remaining melted butter or margarine, one tablespoon paprika, two tablespoons salt, 1½ teaspoons mustard, ½ teaspoon chili powder. Spread mixture over chicken, cover and continue baking 30 minutes. Serves six.

Barbecued Chicken: Combine and bring to boil over full gas flame one cup catsup, 1-4 cup shortening, ½ cup hot water, one chopped onion, ½ teaspoon garlic powder, one tablespoon sugar, 2 teaspoons paprika, one teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoons pepper. Remove from flame and add ½ cup lemon juice, one tablespoon Worcestershire sauce. Arrange in baking dish one broiler cut in halves or quarters. Brush chicken with sauce. Cover and cook in moderate gas oven (350 degrees F.) one hour. Uncover and continue cooking 30 minutes, basting frequently with the sauce. Serves two to four.

Crunchy Oven Chicken: Melt over low gas flame 1-3 cup butter or margarine, combine two cups crushed potato chips, 1-4 teaspoon garlic salt, dash pepper.

Dip in melted butter then in potato chip mixture one disjointed 2½ to three pound frying chicken. Place pieces, skin side up, so they do not touch, in greased shallow baking pan. Bake, uncovered, in moderately hot gas oven (375 degrees F.) one hour (do not turn). Yields four servings.

Lemon Broiled Chicken: Mash together in bowl one small clove garlic, 2 teaspoon salt. Add mixing well, 1-4 cup salad oil, ¼ cup lemon juice, ½ teaspoon pepper. Place skin side down on cold broilers cut in halves or quarters. Brush chicken with lemon mixture. Broil four inches from low gas flame for 25 minutes, turn, brush with remaining lemon mixture and continue broiling approximately 15 minutes. Serves four to eight.

Mincemeat Baked Alaska Is A Treat

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Ingredients: One pint vanilla ice cream, ½ cup prepared mincemeat, 3 egg whites, 1-3 cup sugar, 1-4 teaspoon vanilla extract, 1 (8-inch) bakers' yellow or white cake layer.

Method: Soften ice cream slightly and fold in mincemeat. Line a (2-quart) shallow (7-inch) skillet or saucepan with waxed paper, allowing paper to extend above sides of pan. Pack mincemeat-ice cream into pan and freeze until ice cream is firm. When ready to serve: Beat egg whites until foamy, but not stiff. Add sugar gradually, beating after each addition. Continue beating until mixture is shiny and holds stiff peaks. Blend in vanilla extract. Remove ice cream from pan by lifting extended paper. Turn ice cream upside-down onto cake. Remove paper and cover cake and ice cream with meringue. Bake in a hot oven (450 F.) for five minutes, or until lightly browned. Serve immediately. Makes eight servings.

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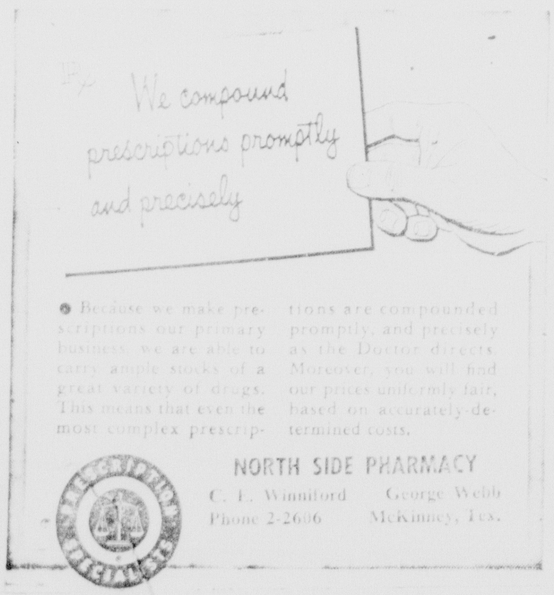

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WRESTLER GORGEOUS GEORGE WANTS TO ACT - "FOR REAL"

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BY JOHN BERGMAN

HOLLYWOOD (INS)—Gorgeous George, the much-heralded Mr. Wrestling of television, says he wants to do some acting outside the ring.

The pink-tressed behemoth, who uses the ladies' parts as training camp bait with arena and stage, said the first preparation for his new career would be, of course, a totally different hair style.

Gorgeous (by legal fiat adopted name) pondered the fifth in a line of hairstyles copyrighted for him since the day back in 1947 when he decided something new was needed in the wrestling ring besides a good sweat.

The new coif, fashioned at the [illegible] and Joseph by the [illegible] that name, is in the [illegible] chorine girl ringlets. It's as much out of place atop the battered face of the wrestler as he seemed with his shrouded head under the drier.

George tabbed the new adornment the "Las Vegas Debut" in honor of his first full-fledged nightclub appearance in that gambling resort city.

The veteran grunt-and-groaner opened at the Silver Slipper nightclub last month complete with valet, his own "George Pins" and an act that has George wrestling with a pretty girl heckled from the audience.

But hair, at least as Gorgeous employs it, played as big a part in his life as did the locks in the story of Delilah and her boyfriend.

George entered his occupation early, throwing his first professional toe-hold at the age of 14. This was followed by years of much sweat and little money.

But then television reared its picture tube just in time to save the sport.

George, naturally, jumped in head first. He became almost an overnight sensation as one of the nation's top television performers.

Riding his hair wave, he first featured a modest little styling titled "TV Flair" which was usually good for two falls but often became tousled by the third.

He followed these with more successful waves, tastefully dubbed the "swirl," "cocoa" and "bird of paradise" which was complete with a live flower of that name.

All were guaranteed to go a full match.

But his latest coiffure, George maintains, will out do all his previous hairdos.

It should.

To complete the effect he needs a visit to the beauty parlor before every public performance. It usually entails a three-hour bleaching process, a finger-waved marcelle and a lengthy stretch under the drier.

Asked if it was worth the trouble, George acted for a repeat of the question complained he could not hear well under the drier.

Then he said:

"How else can a wrestler make money? Besides, you'd be surprised at all the nice girls I meet at the beauty parlor."

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Scott are both patients in the City-County Hospital. Mrs. Scott entered the hospital on Saturday with a broken leg. Both are reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Jake Dyer and daughter, Miss Nan Dyer, have returned from a plane trip to New York.

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CHICAGO (INS)—A gremlin which caused many headaches for American pilots during World War II is going to work for commercial airlins to save lives.

The gremlin was a "blip" which appeared on radarscopes. When fighter pilots chased the object through the skies they found nothing but storm clouds, although heavy rain, hail and powerful updrafts and downdrafts accompanying the storm packed more lethal punch than an enemy plane.

After the wartime pilots and technicans were mustered out of military service and back into the commercial flying business, efforts to harness the gremlin for peacetime purposes were started. Stormy weather still was a threat to private and commercial airplane flights despite fabulous improvements in aircraft safety devices.

The technicians learned that a direct relationship existed between the wavelength of radar transmission and the ability to penetrate a moisture-filled cloud. Wave lengths of one centimeter or less can detect moisture that is invisible to the human eye. As the wave length increases, radar's ability to penetrate heavy concentrations of moisture also increase.

United Air Lines, which conducted extensive tests in Colorado decided that radar wave lengths in the "C-Band" of the spectrum, about 5.5 centimeter or 21-8 inches were best suited for airborne weather detections.

The first weather radar unit for air planes went on experimental duty in June of 1953 aboard a DC-3 Cargoliner named Sir Echo. The experimental craft was flown 31 times under actual storm conditions and each time the C-Band radar gave advance notice of turbulence, heavy rain or hail. One flight carried "Sir Echo" through a cloudburst so severe it inundated railroad tracks, washed out highway bridges and isolated ranching communities.

The C-Band radar, however penetrated the storm and enabled the crew to follow a smooth corridor around the hard core of the storm.

Pilots who have been trained in the use of the device claim they can predict almost to the second when rain drops will begin to splatter on the cockpit windshield after rain is detected on the radarscope. C-Band radar also can detect the dangerous wet and heavy snow during winter while ignoring the light, dry variety that poses little threat to fliers.

United Air Lines has ordered 200 C-Band radar units which will cost a total of $4,000,000 including installation. Each ship equipped with the safety device must under go a "face lifting" job extending the nose some 28 inches to house the radar antenna.

First planes to receive the installation will be those making short hops where the pilot must find the smoothest air path in a hurry. Aircraft making long flights can more easily afford to skirt around bad weather by several miles. Although C-Band radar eventually will keep all pilots informed of changing weather conditions as far ahead as 150 miles.

United's first passenger plane equipped with radar weather detection, a Convair Executive, tested the device recently in cleat, hot weather.

The plane, piloted by Donald Smith and Robert Elliott, left the Omaha Municipal Airport and began a search for a thunderstorm.

The radar picked up a tiny blob 150 miles way and the Convair headed toward the Iowa-Minnesota border at 15,000 feet. As the plane approached closer the spot on the radarscope enlarged and developed a black hole in the center.

The temperature at the airport was close to 100 degrees, but near the core of the storm the temperature dropped to 42 and snow began pelting the airplane. With his naked eye, the pilot could not find the core of the storm in the cloud bank which spread over several miles west of Mason City, Ia.

But the radar scope kept the core in full view and the pilot was able to circle close to the black spot on the screen and the flight was as smooth as it was before the storm was detected.

J. E. Smith who lives on Rock Hill Road, has been ill recently but is now improving.

Sheriff Floyd Williams was in Sulphur Springs the first of the week on official business.

Deputy Jim Standerfer of the Sheriff's office made a trip to Borger Thursday after a prisoner wanted in this county.

Jack Dunn of the Climax Community, is a patient in the City-County Hospital. He has a host of friends who wish him a speedy recovery.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Duncan and family at Lebanon, were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walters and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Farley and family, of McKinney.

Lieut. Don W. Davis, of Montgomery, Ala., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis here. He flew to Carswell Air Base, in Fort Worth, Friday, where his parents met him.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haun, of Justin, Paul Bryan, Misses Eva and Mary Bryan, of Lebanon, visited their brother, O. E. Bryan and son, in Dallas.

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Yam Ham Skillet Is Always Good

Ham Skillet is one of those always welcome recipes which is short on preparation time. Ham patties seasoned with mustard and onion, yams and pineapple rings are combined in this tasty skillet dish. Delicious and colorful with the main course are frenched green beans topped with sieved egg yolk.

YAM HAM SKILLET

Ingredients: 1½ pounds ground ham, 1 teaspoon dry mustard, 1 tablespoon grated onion, ½ teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 tablespoons brown sugar, 6 medium-sized yams, cooked and peeled, 6 slices canned pineapple.

Method: Combine ham, mustard, onion, salt and pepper; mix well. Shape into 6 patties. Melt butter or margarine; add sugar and blend. Add patties and cook over low heat 45 minutes. Add yams and pineapple and heat to serving temperature. Makes six servings.

Sgt. Jon Garcia of Dallas, was in McKinney this week on recruit duty for the Marines.

Mrs. Myra George recently visited Mrs. Nora McGee at Westminster for several days.

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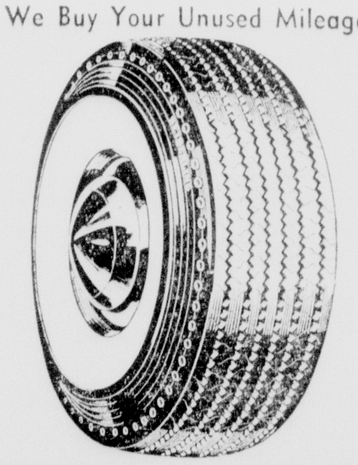

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